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PHILLIPS OPENS NEXT WEEK

Full Registration of More Than Six Hundred Promises Successful Year. Andover-Exeter Game to Be Played on New Football Field.

Phillips Academy will open next week with an enrollment of 630, approximately the same as that of last year, which was the largest number entered in the history of the school. No further additions having been made to the rooming accommodations, there is no increase in the number of students.

Among the new teachers added to the faculty are John Crocker, a member of the Class of 1922 at Harvard college where he was a star end on the football team. He also did graduate work at Oxford University. Mr. Crocker will teach English and will reside at the Cheever house on Main street.

Guy J. Forbush who taught at Phillips in 1917-18 will return to instruct in French. Since leaving Andover he has taught in France, at Middlebury college, and at the Hotchkiss school.

Herbert H. Vreeland will be an instructor in English and an assistant instructor in chemistry. He was graduated from Yale in 1912 and since that time has been registrar of the Yale Sheffield Scientific school and done graduate work at Columbia university.

During the war, he was captain and major in the Field Artillery. For three years he was secretary and treasurer of the board of trustees of Yale in China and, for two years he held responsible positions in connection with the Boy Scouts of America.

He will live in the Phelps house on Main street, which has been vacant since the departure of Rev. Markham W. Stackpole.

Scott H. Paradise, a graduate of Phillips academy 1910, Yale 1914, will teach mathematics. During the last four years, he has been with the J. Walter Thompson Co., a New York advertising agency. For two and a half years of that time, he was in charge of their London office. Allan V. Heely, a graduate of Phillips, Class of 1915, and also of Yale, will be a special assistant. He will live at Williams hall.

Prof. Warren K. Moorehead, head of the Department of Archaeology, sails from New York on Saturday and will spend the year abroad in travel and study. George F. French, of the French department is also enjoying a year's leave of absence which he is spending in travel and study.

A few changes have been made in faculty residences. John S. Barss will occupy the Clement house on School street during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. George F. French and Roscoe E. Dake has been transferred from Williams hall to Bancroft cottage.

One of the most interesting events of the school year will be the opening of the new football field which will be used for the first time in the Andover-Exeter game in November. The field lies south of Brothers field and west of the track and its elevated situation will ensure good drainage and a much drier surface than the old field. The field was sowed last fall and careful watering during the dry season has produced a good turf. The new bleachers will seat 7,000 persons, accommodating nearly twice as many as could be cared for on Brothers field. A parking place for automobiles will

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ABBOT ACADEMY RESUMES

Faculty Returns to Work Refreshed by Study and Travel. New Teacher in French Department

Abbott Academy will open on Wednesday of next week with an enrollment of 135 boarding students and thirty-five day students, making a total of 170. In this number, nineteen states and the District of Columbia are represented—and, in addition, China, Japan, Korea, and British Honduras. The good old Bay State, of course, has the strongest delegation. Wednesday, September 17, is registration day and all students are asked to register in Abbott Hall at 9 a.m.; boarding students are expected to register in Draper Hall before 6 p.m.

No radical changes have been made this summer in the physical equipment, though there have been many repairs and improvements. Leach House has been painted white, two new rooms have been finished on the fourth floor of Draper Hall, and hardwood floors have been laid in twenty-one rooms. The bubbling fountain, the gift of the Class of 1924, is being installed on the hockey field. Some of the finest trees on the campus were found to be in poor condition and have been under the care of the Bartlett Tree Expert Company. The expert in charge reports that the old oak on Davis Green of which the school has long been proud, is at least four hundred years old, and possibly older. Perhaps about the time of the discovery of America it began its long growth.

There are few changes in the teaching staff. Miss Pettingill leaves to become principal of the Waynfleet School for Girls in Portland, Maine, and Miss Chickering resumes full-time work once more. Miss Bertha Grimes returns to take charge of the work in Household Science.

Mr. Lucienne Foubert, for two years a member of the staff of the French Department, was married August 16, to Edward Hastings Chamberlin, a graduate of the University of Iowa, now studying for a Doctorate in Education at Harvard University. Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlin will be at home at 8 Plimpton street, Cambridge, after September 15.

Mrs. Chamberlin's place in the French Department is taken by Madame Louis Riest of Paris. Mme. Riest was for many years a successful teacher in England and America. She was principal of a private school in Paris for some time. After her marriage, she shared the work of her husband who was Dean of the French College in Cairo, Egypt. M. Riest lost his life on the battlefield in 1915, and for the succeeding five years, Mme. Riest was the private secretary and pupil of M. Lejay, a distinguished

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Wilbur Shoop, P. A. 1924, and star baseball player, visited friends in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Gouck and son, Harry Jr., have returned from a ten-days' vacation at Salisbury Beach.

Gladstone Chandler of South Main street resumed his studies at Middlebury college, Middlebury, Vt., Wednesday.

Mrs. Irving Murch and daughter, Helen, are spending several days with Mrs. Franklin S. Valentine on Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith have returned to their home on Elm street after spending the summer at Long Beach, Gloucester.

Misses Catherine Roach, Mary Murphy and Fred Murphy of High street are enjoying a several days' stay at Hampton beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Moorehead left town Wednesday for New York city and will sail Saturday for a seven months' tour of Europe.

Joseph Remmes of Woodland road, as delegate from Andover Post, American Legion, left Wednesday for the national convention which will be held in St. Paul, Minn.

A regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps was held Tuesday night in G. A. R. hall. Routine business was transacted and refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Lemuel E. Brown of Burnham road has sold his house to Peter Montgomery of North Andover, who has purchased it for occupancy. Mr. Brown and family will remove to Plattsburg, N. Y., in a few days.

The committee in charge of the bakery sales for the benefit of Mr. Shipman's work at Atlanta University announce that the third and last sale of this series will be held at Playdon's flower shop on Friday afternoon, September 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Carter and family of Briarcliff Manor, New York, who have been spending the summer at Boothbay Harbor, Maine, spent the week-end as the guests of the Misses Carter at their home on Bartlett street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence V. Roth of Taylor Hall entertained over the week-end, Benjamin I. Wheeler, president emeritus of the University of California, and Mrs. Wheeler, and also their son, Benjamin W. Wheeler, instructor at the University of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Saunders and family of High street, Mr. and Mrs. George Burridge and family and Mrs. Annie S. Lindsay of Bancroft road and Miss Mary E. Alley of Chestnut street attended the Sanders-Saunders family reunion in North Weymouth last Saturday.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Coming Events
TODAY
6.30-10.00 p.m. Town Hall. Observance of National Defense Day.

THURSDAY
2.00-11.00 p.m. Estate of Jerome W. Cross. Country Fair, under auspices of Christ Church Guild.

FRIDAY
2.00-5.00 p.m. Playdon's Flower Shop. Food Sale for benefit of Atlanta University.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edson Andrews of Hidden road are at the Mount Washington, Bretton Woods, N. H.

Charles A. Parmelee, who has been spending the summer at Long Lake Lodge, North Bridgton, Maine, has returned to Andover.

Mrs. Michael J. Marr and children have returned to their home on Washington avenue, after spending the summer at Somerset Junction, Maine.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur S. Wheelock have returned to Andover after spending the summer in Europe. Mr. Wheelock occupied the pulpit of the Free church on Sunday.

The Clan Johnston, O. S. C. members will conduct an auto ride to Revere Beach this evening. Machines will leave the Fraternal building at 6.30 to convey those people who desire to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Petrie and David MacIntosh who have been spending the summer in Scotland arrived in New York Thursday on the S. S. California. They are expected in Andover today.

Miss Mabel Emerson of Swampscott, but formerly of Andover, renewed acquaintances in town on Saturday. Miss Emerson returned to this country on July 28, after spending five months in the Near East where in behalf of the Woman's Board of Missions she visited stations in Asia Minor, Constantinople, and Athens and attended a conference in Jerusalem.

National Defense Day
Every loyal American citizen is invited to visit the Town hall this evening between the hours of 6.30 and 10.00, and register his or her willingness to serve his country in time of war.

The town hall has been specially decorated for the occasion and representatives of the G. A. R., Spanish War and World War will be present. The pledges will be sent to Boston and thence on to Washington. As this ceremony, aside from displaying the flag, is the only observance to be made of Defense Day in Andover, it is hoped that everyone will cooperate.

As there is no National Guard in Andover, Andover Post 8, of the American Legion has kindly consented to attend to the details of the plan.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Ruth Lindsay of Porter road is visiting friends in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Finger of Summer street are visiting at Bethlehem, N. H.

James Cole of Abbot street left town Tuesday to enter Bridgton Academy, Bridgton, Me.

Mrs. Franklin H. Stacey and son, Alfred, have returned from a several weeks' stay at Meredith, N. H.

Seymour Tate has returned to his home on Main street after spending the summer at Middlebury, Vermont.

Miss Margaret May has returned to her studies at Bridgewater Normal school where she will begin her senior year.

Miss Ruth Mitchell of Summer street, who has been spending the past year in Alaska, has returned to her home in Andover.

Mrs. F. H. Ladd and son, Frederick, of Whittier street returned home Saturday night from Westport, Me., where they have spent the summer.

Miss Margaret Laurie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Laurie of Whittier street, who has been spending the summer in Maine, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester J. Farmer and family who have been spending the summer in Andover left town on Tuesday by automobile for their home in Chicago.

George W. Hinman, an instructor at Phillips Academy, who has been conducting a tutoring camp at Long Lake Lodge, Maine, has returned to his home on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Laurie who have been spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mackenzie of Moosup, Conn., have returned to their home on Whittier street.

Mrs. George W. Mears of Chapman court is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital where she is being treated for a broken hip which she sustained as the result of a fall more than a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morrison and daughter, Mary, left Tuesday for their home in Detroit, Mich., after spending the vacation season at Little Neck, Ipswich, and at the home of William C. Coutts of Maple avenue.

On Saturday evening there will be a meeting of the ways and means committee of the Fraternal Building association and also of the fair committee at eight o'clock, and all members from the six organizations are urged to be present.

Mrs. Theodore Douglas, formerly Miss Lucretia Lowe of this town, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Lowe of Summer street. Mrs. Douglas has been living in the West, Texas, Arizona and lately in Indiana, and this is her first visit East since her marriage.

PRIMARIES IN ANDOVER

Representative Charles E. Abbott Carries Three Towns By Overwhelming Majority. Andover Endorses Winning Candidates for State Offices.

THE FIFTH BAND CONCERT

Salem Cadet Band Under Leadership of Jean M. Missud Gives Large Audience Rare Treat

The fifth and finest concert presented this season under the auspices of the Andover Chamber of Commerce was given by the Salem Cadet Band last evening at the Park.

Having been twice postponed, because of rain, the occasion was at last favored with a fine, clear moonlight night although with a decided tang of fall in the air. There was a large concourse of people on foot and in automobiles who enjoyed the program presented under the leadership of Jean M. Missud.

Selections which gave especial pleasure were the overture "Orpheus" by Offenbach and the "Operatic Themes" by Tobani with cornet solo. The saxophone solo by F. E. Bigelow was also well received.

The program:
March—Parade of the Legionnaires
Overture—Orpheus
Concert Waltz—Gipsy Life
Solo for Saxophone—Impromptu
F. E. Bigelow

Selection—Celebrated Operatic Themes
Selection—The Royal Vagabond
"Until Tomorrow"
Triumphal March, "Aida"
Descriptive—A Hunting Scene
Waltz—Espana
March—Spirit of the Times
Star-Spangled Banner

Cold and Cards
The Country Fair card party for next Thursday evening, September 18, at eight thirty o'clock, will be held indoors through the kindness of Mrs. Cross.

The committee couldn't guarantee the players against coughs and sneezes if they played on the verandahs, as originally planned, and there weren't enough warm-up suits, and fur coats to go around; although they do say that girls buy fur coats now at the "five and ten," as everybody's wearing them.

Mrs. J. Mahoney and Mrs. M. Johnson have charge of the tickets.

Dr. Charles E. Abbott, representative for the Ninth Essex District, was easily re-nominated at the primaries held Tuesday. He had the biggest majority ever recorded, receiving 1098 votes in Andover as compared with 90 for Joseph P. McDonough. Dr. Abbott also carried North Andover, Mr. McDonough's home town, by a vote of 497 to 474. In Middleton 72 voters endorsed Dr. Abbott, and only 11, McDonough.

The total vote in Andover was 1284 with 1227 Republican ballots and 57 democratic ballots cast. This is more than thirty per cent of the registration. Shawheen Village, Precinct 3, led with forty per cent, 324 votes; Precinct 4 came second with 249; Precinct 2 third with 95, and Precinct 1 last with 616.

Lieutenant Governor Fuller had a close race with James Jackson carrying every precinct except Precinct 4 on the hill.

Peter Holt of North Andover carried the town in his run for state senator, receiving 455 votes, 96 more than his nearest opponent, Hugh A. Clegg of Methuen.

In the vote for state treasurer, William S. Youngman polled the highest number of votes in Andover with 343. For senator in congress Frederick H. Gillett scored the highest with a total of 542 votes.

There was only one contest on the democratic ticket, that for lieutenant governor. O'Hearn received 23 votes; Cummings, 14; Boynton, 12.

The vote in Andover:
Republican
GOVERNOR
P 1 P 2 P 3 P 4 Ttl.
Alvan T. Fuller 297 56 215 89—657
James Jackson 261 29 92 147—529
Blanks 21 3 10 7—51

LIEUT. GOVERNOR
Frank B. Allen 506 76 288 214—1084
Blanks 73 12 29 29—142

SECRETARY
Fred W. Cook 485 70 278 205—1038
Blanks 94 18 39 38—89

TREASURER
Otis Allen 90 26 70 27—213
W. A. Allen 55 4 30 12—101
J. W. Bean 32 4 24 1—72
Fred J. Burrell 120 25 68 39—252
Horace A. Keith 26 4 24 16—70
W. S. Youngman 167 10 66 100—343
Blanks 89 15 35 37—176

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25c " Sour Mixed " Each
25c " Sour Plain " 5 Bots. \$1
25c " Chow Chow

25c Bottom Oven Baked Beans.....21c
5 Cans \$1.00

20c Maine Sugar Peas.....15c — \$1.75 Doz.

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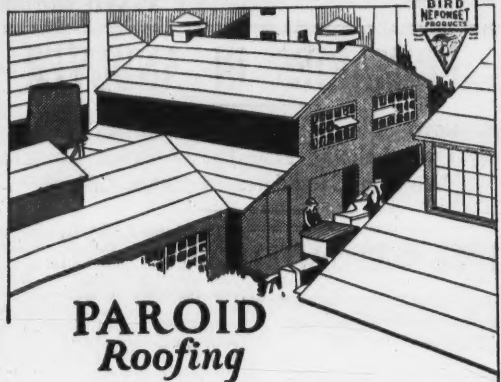
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"Wife in Name Only," by Bertha M. Clay.
Aesop's Fables.

Tomorrow
"Lost in a Big City," with Jane Thomas.
Telephone Girl.
"Be Yourself," comedy.
Pathe News.

Monday, Tuesday, Sept. 15, 16
"Daughters of Today," most highly entertaining.
"Highly Recommended," comedy, with Al St. John.
Topics of the Day.

Wednesday, Sept. 17
George Arliss in "A Day's Work."
"Fast Steppers," a race-horse story.
Comedy.
Pathe News.

Thursday, Sept. 18
Laura La Plante in "Young Ideas."
"Dollar Devil," an all-star cast.
"Hot Sparks," Cameo Comedy.

Friday, Sept. 19
Herbert Rawlinson in "Dark Stairways."
May Murray in "Mademoiselle Midnight."
Aesop's Fables.

Saturday, Sept. 20
Pola Negri in "Shadows of Paris."
H. C. Witwer's "Fighting Blood."
"No Luck," comedy.
Pathe News.

If anyone wants to know just how the young folks of today entertain themselves, besides listening to the radio, they can get a very good idea from the Rollin S. Sturgeon picture, "Daughters of Today," which comes to the Colonial theatre next week. Not only is it promised, is the youthful complex put under the glass and analyzed with excellent results dramatically, but also we are promised attendance at numerous social functions of the "Flappers" and their "Sheiks."

Included in the list are "necking" parties described as an improvement on the old-fashioned habit of holding hands while sitting on the sofa. There are also "tea" parties which translated means T.N.T., and is served from the hip pocket. Midnight bathing is also popular, if we can believe the story, and the costumes worn are always impromptu. Dancing of all kinds and speeds is of course included in the repertoire and a poker game in which satin pumps and fancy collars figure as coin of the realm is also included. In the language of the old-time reporter, "A Good Time Was Had by All."

Aside from its lighter aspects, "Daughters of Today" is said to be a picture of great dramatic strength and possesses a mystery element that adds to its interest as entertainment.

LAWRENCE COLONIAL

Theatregoers of Lawrence, Methuen and the Andovers are happy again because they are going to have their own stock company at the Colonial theatre, Lawrence, beginning next Monday night. And they are happy, too, because it has been announced that two of last year's popular favorites—Miss Mildred Dana and William Naughton—are coming back to play the leads again.

Miss Dana needs no introduction. She is a delightfully clever actress, a charming woman on or off the stage and a real credit to the profession. Her local friends and admirers are planning to give her a big send-off when she steps onto the stage next Monday night. And the same may be said of Mr. Naughton. He was a big favorite last year and he proved himself a sterling actor.

William Blair, who directed the company last season, will be back in a like capacity

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which means that every production will be of a high standard.

Other members of the company will be Russell Bryce as juvenile, a youthful actor of considerable experience, the most recent of which was with the Russell-Walker Players in Indianapolis; Franklin George, who comes well recommended from the Princess theatre, Montreal; William T. Malone, character man, who has recently won favor with the Leonard Wood Players at the Belasco theatre in Washington; Miss Elizabeth Fox, character woman, who also comes well recommended from the Washington company; Miss Barbara Gray, late of the Jesse Bonstelle company in Detroit. Ingenue parts will be played by Miss Fern Chandler, late the Albee Stock in Providence, and popular Mabel Cowper.

The scenic artist will be Arthur P. Burns and he will introduce something of a novelty to the people of Lawrence in the person of a lady assistant. The assistant is Miss Portia Lee, who is quite capable of turning out some pretty good scenery without assistance. "Just Married" is a comedy that is bright and witty from the first act to the last. A newly married couple meet with many unusual experiences on their honeymoon on board a steamship crossing from Bordeaux, France, to New York city. Anne Nichols, author of "Abbie's Irish Rose" and Adelaide Matthews wrote the play. Other first-class plays are promised, among them "The Cat and the Canary" for the second week, "The First Year," "Irene," "So This Is London" and many others.

As usual, seats may be reserved for the entire season, and the box office is now open to make reservations and for the sale of seats.

PLYMOUTH

One of the biggest dramatic hits of the past year in New York has been "Spring Cleaning," the Frederick Lonsdale comedy, produced by the Selwyns, which will begin limited engagement at the Plymouth theatre (Boston) on Monday evening, September 15. The Selwyns are bringing from New York the original company, which is headed by four stars celebrated on both sides of the Atlantic, these being Violet Heming, Arthur Byron, Estelle Winwood and A. E. Matthews. The brilliant company along with make the production attractive. It does, as a matter of fact, lend distinction to a comedy that has been roundly praised for its audacious picture of social extravagances and for its wit and humor. There is quite a sensational climax, which comes when the desperate husband walks in upon his wife's hilarious dinner party with a notoriously abandoned woman as his companion. In this way, the dramatic points his moral and finds a way to a happy ending. It is a scene abounding in sardonic humor. The dialogue is brilliant—the most brilliant since the Wilds plays were the vogue, according to the opinion of play connoisseurs.

Seats for the engagement are now on sale at the box office.

COPLEY

Coming to the Shubert Copley theatre, Boston, on Monday evening, September 15, as the opening attraction is Lucille La Verne who will be seen in "Sun Up" by Lula Vollmer. She comes here with the prestige of a run of a year in New York and fourteen weeks in Chicago in both of which cities it was hailed as a truly great American folk play. Miss Vollmer, in "Sun Up," has, it is said, made a straightforward, honest appeal to the theatregoers by her faithful picture of the Carolina mountain people. No attempt at solving a problem is made by the author but instead it aims to tell a story that involves the loves, hates and prejudice of the simple, primitive "poor mountain whites."

The central figure of the play is the Widow Cagle who is almost fanatical in her hatred of all law, which she feels is responsible for the death of her moonshining husband, and later, when the law reaches out and takes her son for service in the Great War, about which these benighted folks had never heard, her bitterness against the government becomes a positive obsession. The son is killed in France and at the time that this is made known to her she is giving shelter to a wayfarer who, through the sheriff, is proven to be the son of the revenue officer who had, as she considered, murdered her husband. Her first thought is of the chance this offers to avenge her man but this gives way to a better impulse and it is then that the regeneration of the widow begins. In her delineation of the harsh widow with the feudal instinct Miss La Verne's work has been favorably compared with the best that the American stage has known in years. The supporting cast remains the same as during its New York and Chicago runs.

SHUBERT

The latest, and this means the best, New York Winter Garden show, "Innocent Eyes," will be presented by the Messrs. Lee and J. Shubert for a very short engagement at the Shubert Theatre in Boston beginning Monday, September 15, with matinees each Wednesday and Saturday. Direct from its long run at the New York Winter Garden, "Innocent Eyes" comes to Boston with a company of one hundred and twenty-five people, including seventy-five dazlers such as only the Winter Garden can provide. Vanessa, Lew Hearn, Fay Marbe and Douglas Leavitt head the long cast, which includes such popular persons as Frances Williams, Ted Donner, Charles Howard, Frank Dobson, Marjory Leach, Grace Bowman, Charles MacMabel Carruthers, Franklyn Byron, James E. Phillips, Mae Cairns, Eddie Rodgers and Cleo Pergam.

Paris is the scene of this newest Messrs. Shubert production. Everyone knows the Moulin Rouge, famous wherever Paris has been heard of. The play which has to do with the predicament of a reformer who suddenly inherits the Moulin Rouge establishment, is cleverly manipulated to permit the introduction of unique dancing, exquisite living pictures, tuneful music and comedy of all sorts. In the expert manner of Mr. J. J. Shubert, who personally supervised the production of "Innocent Eyes," there is so much variety, moving at such a speed that the revue has justly earned its place as one of the most entertaining the Winter Garden ever has housed.

With a book by Harold Atteridge, who has supplied thirty-four Winter Garden productions in a similar manner, with music by Sigmund Romberg and Jean Schwarz and with scenery by Watson Barratt, "Innocent Eyes" is the most important attraction the Messrs. Shubert will send to Boston this season. Because of the elaborate nature of the production, the scenery will be placed on the Shubert stage in advance of the opening performance in Boston on Monday night, September 15.

MAJESTIC

Fresh from a most prosperous engagement of thirteen months in Times Square, New York City, "Mr. Battling Butler," that charming musical comedy with Charles Ruggles and the entire original cast, will be the attraction at the Majestic Theatre for a limited engagement beginning Monday, September 15.

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According to reports which have preceded the arrival of this popular hit in the Hub, it differs greatly from the many so-called musical comedies in that it actually contains a plot, a story filled with highly enjoyable and refined comedy situations, being sufficiently strong to be played as a straight farce without music or dancing. The story is that of a husband who, in order to get away from his wife for a high jinks, poses as "Battling Butler," a real fighter; and every time the real fighter is scheduled for a bout, the husband departs for the training camp, where he is known as Jones. His wife, becoming suspicious follows him on one occasion to discover his real reason for posing as a fighter, and she almost ruins the whole training quarters. Funny complications follow, creating screams of laughter, but as all good plays do, it ends happily.

The happy musical comedy assistants to Charles Ruggles are Helen Eley, Polly Walker, Marion Hamilton, Esther Muir, Grace Alden, Teddy McNamara, Eugene McGregor, Frank Sinclair, Howard Freeman, Sam Cristandan, George Doobs, and the fifty-fold singing and dancing champions, including the twelve English Rockets, a special set of uniform dancers especially imported for this production. There is also a special symphony orchestra that will assist greatly in putting over the several catchy song hits and unique dance novelties. Seats should be secured well in advance.

BOSTON OPERA HOUSE

A most pleasing announcement and one that will be received with great enthusiasm is that DeWolf Hopper and his famous Comic Opera Company will be the attraction at the Boston Opera House for a special engagement commencing on Saturday night, September 13. It is hoped that Mr. Hopper will remain in Boston long enough to present many of his splendid operas, with which he is so thoroughly identified.

For several seasons past Mr. Hopper has been making long stays in different cities, giving his entire repertoire, which at the present time consists of "The Mikado," "Finafore," "Pirates of Penzance," "Iolanthe," "Yeoman of the Guard," all Gilbert and Sullivan classics. The opera selected for the opening is "The Mikado," which is undoubtedly one of the best, if not the best, of the twenty or more operas written by Gilbert and Sullivan.

A new opera will be given each week. For the second week of the engagement "Robin Hood" will be presented. For the third week "The Chocolate Soldier." For the fourth week "Finafore." Among the other operas to be presented during Mr. Hopper's engagement will be "Wang," "Ermine," "Fire Fly," "Prince of Pilsen," "Katinka." A most unusual thing in connection with the Hopper Boston Opera House engagement will be the prices. Owing to the very large seating capacity of this house, a very low scale has been arranged, particularly so for a big company of the Hopper order. The night prices will be fifty cents to one dollar and a half. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday fifty cents to one dollar. All seats reserved. The box office for the sale of seats will be opened September 8. At the same time subscriptions will be received for the entire season for the Opera Company.

Essex County Agricultural School Notes
A large class of new students was admitted to the Agricultural Department on September 2. All the students are graduates from grammar school, many having had two or three years of high school work. Seventeen different towns in the county are represented in this class.

The first week was divided between inside and outside work; inside work consisted of a series of short tests, both general and agricultural, which were given to pave the way for future study along agricultural lines. The outside work consisted of farm inspection trips, lectures and demonstrations, carried on by the different divisions of the farm. The students become well acquainted with the general plan and routine of the school.

The Homemaking Department resumed its class work on Wednesday of last week, a large class of new students having been admitted. Class-room facilities and the necessary equipment were ready so that the school work began without interruption.

Although several rooms on the top floor of the agricultural building are used by the department, the girls assemble in the refectory for the cooking classes. During the first two weeks the cooking classes will do a large amount of canning, thus preserving for future use the products of the farm. Everyone in Essex County who is interested in agriculture should spend some time at the 103rd annual Fair of the Essex Agricultural Society. The fair will run four days beginning Wednesday, September 17. The first day will be Merchants and Clerks' Day, Thursday is Grange and Farmers' Day, Friday, Children's Day, and Saturday Everybody's Day. This year the Topsfield Fair promises to be better than ever before.

County Club Leader DeQuoy is engaged in assembling the Junior Club exhibits for the Topsfield Fair. Mr. DeQuoy already has a large number of entries and promises that the Junior exhibits at the fair will be one of the best ever shown.

Horace Shute of West Newbury has been declared the winner of the Essex County Poultry Clubs. This boy kept forty-nine pullets which laid 3122 eggs last winter. The eggs were valued at \$127.03. The cost of grain was \$61.59 and loss in value of pullets brought the total expense to \$89.71, leaving a profit of \$37.32. Although this was not as good a profit as some club members made, Horace raised a large flock of chickens and built up a fair-sized poultry project.

Horace is now registered as a regular student at this school and he is earning his way through. His deep interest in agricultural work prompted him to enroll at Essex Aggie.

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A wealthy old lady, falling ill, called a lawyer to assist her in making her will. She tried to get into a good deal of detail in her instructions, and the lawyer said, soothingly, "Now, then, don't you worry about disposing of this property; just leave it all to me."

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is intended to furnish aid in the economical and correct selection of food for the family.

Housewives of to-day are learning to choose, think of, and purchase their foods in terms of calories or fuel value, rather than by pounds or quarts. They will realize, of course, that she must take into consideration other factors, as well as calories, in determining the best diet for her family.

A 100-calorie portion is shown in each case for potatoes, apples, flakes or puffed cereal, milk, prunes, carrots, cheese, bread, butter, peas, roast beef, canned salmon, candy, eggs, cream, loaf sugar, tomatoes, granulated sugar, cooked bacon. School children can use the chart to make up imaginary meals which the teacher can criticize, and the housewife can consult it when planning her menu. As the edition is limited, the charts will be sold by the Government Printing Office for a few cents each when the number of free copies is exhausted.

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Agriculture an Important Feature of the Week

New England agriculture has a vital part in the programme of All New England Week, which is to be observed Sept. 15 to 20. The State Department of Agriculture of the Commonwealth is aiding the movement with an effort of its own to bring the farmer and the consuming public into closer relations.

Dr. Arthur W. Gilbert, Commissioner of Agriculture of Massachusetts, acting for the Executive Committee of the New England Agricultural Conference, has recently edited a book entitled "The Food Supply of New England." This is a complete survey of the present agricultural situation in New England. The information in this book makes a splendid foundation for progress in the All New England movement, which has for its purpose to make the people of New England familiar with the resources of New England farms and industries. Never before have they taken account, as a people, of their productive assets.

The Week has been set aside "to illustrate to New England's own people the beauty and utility of the products of the industries of New England, and to demonstrate to the world beyond our borders how vast and various are the activities that have earned for New England her fame."

The appeal to the people is, to consider what this region has done in the past. The hope is to convince them that they can do vastly more in the future. One endeavor will be to show New England buyers the folly of going outside their own borders for the goods that New England produces, particularly those in the production of which New England excels.

The excellence of New England raised foodstuffs and the palatability of traditional New England dishes will be made manifest during the week on the tables of lending hotels, many of which are to make a feature of New England menus as an object lesson. Market men and growers' organizations have promised their cooperation in labelling fruits, vegetables and animal products of the region as "Raised in New England." As a result of this, it is hoped to encourage the practice of grading before shipping, in order that to the consumer only high quality articles find their way.

Merchants in the largest cities have made an encouraging response to the request that they arrange window displays of New England goods, and some of the leading stores in fashionable shopping districts will devote show-window space to agricultural exhibits. This has been brought about through the efforts of the Massachusetts Department of Agriculture, which has hopes that a marked change in the attitude of the New England public toward the agriculture of its home states will be manifest at the conclusion of the week.

Harvesting will be in full progress during the six days of this concerted effort, and will prove one of the best advertisements that our agriculture could have, particularly to those who may be travelling through New England by train or automobile. In the earlier potato fields men will be seen digging with hoe, horse or tractor. On the corn lands the grain will begin to appear in its autumnal guise of shocks, all ready for the early frosts, and pumpkins will glow golden yellow on the land thus cleared. Men will be seen ascending and descending ladders in the orchards and great handsome apples will be going into boxes and barrels for shipment to market. New England is the birthplace and home of the Baldwin apple, famous everywhere. The McIntosh Red will be at the full height of harvesting then and will be seen in the markets in all its showy beauty. The market-gardening zone around Boston will be an area of great activity at that time, well worthy of a visit either from tourists who would like to see for the first time how the vegetable crops that feed the city populations are grown and handled for market, or from our own Massachusetts farmers who are ever watchful to learn the latest wrinkle in their own line and improve their technique by checking up with progressive neighbors.

Our agricultural fairs are one of the best advertising agencies that our farmers and manufacturers have for reaching the New England public. We should, by all means, make our exhibits even in the smallest of our local fairs, notable this year. No one ever knows who may attend our country fairs. The most distinguished visitors to New England like to see the people in gala mood, and the fairs give them the best opportunity. There is no place in the world where New England products can be displayed to so much advantage to neighbor and stranger alike as at the neighborhood fair.

Let us impress the strangers within our gates with the variety, quality and dependability of our handiwork, with our versatility and enterprise. Let us put our best foot forward and boost New England during this very important week — and keep it forward all the rest of the weeks of the year.

To the farmers of Massachusetts the Department of Agriculture wishes to repeat and emphasize the message "Grade your products." Thus you will ensure having displays which we may be proud to have bear the label "Grown in New England."

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Henry Povo is seriously ill at his home on Shawshaven road.

David Gillespie, the motorcycle officer, is having his annual vacation.

George McKenzie of Mossup, Conn., is visiting his parents on Whittier street.

Burt Anderson of the M. T. Walsh Company is enjoying his annual vacation.

Misses Abbie Green and Thelma Lyle have resumed their studies at Hathorne.

Mr. and Mrs. James Low have returned from a motor trip through New York state.

Mrs. Dana Clark of Maple avenue is enjoying a several days' stay on the Cape.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Laurie have returned from a motor trip over the Mohawk Trail.

Mrs. Lovering Watt of Maple avenue is enjoying several days' stay at Salisbury Beach.

Misses Ann Ness and Helen Smith of the Merrimack Insurance office are having their annual vacation.

Harold Smith of Main street left Tuesday for Danvers college, where he is entering his freshman year.

Mrs. Dorothy Trow of the Merrimack Insurance office is enjoying her annual vacation of two weeks.

Miss Lucy Craik of the Long Island hospital, Boston, spent the week-end at her home on Essex street.

Samuel Hibbert of the U. S. navy is enjoying a furlough which he is spending at his home on High street.

Edward Dodge of Park street and James Hibbert of High street are enjoying a vacation at Salisbury Beach.

Dr. Howard Church of the Phillips Academy faculty has returned to Andover after spending the summer in New York.

Miss Dorothy Converse has returned to her home on Holt street after spending the summer months at Camp Wynona, Fairlee, Vt.

Misses May and Betty Hurley have returned to their home on Harding street after spending the summer months at Kennebunk Beach, Me.

Miss Ada Pitman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph I. Pitman of Summer street has resumed her duties as teacher in the public schools of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Francis Leland, Jr., and family of Boston are occupying the apartment at 118 Main street owned by Miss Kate P. Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis P. Keith and daughters, Charlotte and Eleanor, of Park street, returned home Saturday from Belgrade Lakes, Me., where they spent the summer.

J. Frank Hale Jr., returned to his home on Elm street after spending the summer in Saratoga Springs and New York. He will enter the Chauncey Hall school next month.

Miss Marion D. Ladd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ladd of Whittier street, left this morning for West Hartford, Conn., where she will teach in the Household Arts department of the Junior High school.

Miss Helen Walker, Bryn Mawr, 1924, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Walker of Main street, sails from New York tomorrow on the S. S. Lancastrian for England where she will study at the London School of Economics.

The Circle of Friendship, Mrs. Fred Westcott, chairman, will have charge of the candy table at the Country Fair to be held by the Guilds of Christ church next Thursday. Contributions are solicited from all those who are interested.

The regular meeting of the Andover Natural History society will be held on Tuesday evening, September 16, in the Pynchard lecture room. As is usual at the first fall meeting the subject will be "Vacation Experiences."

Miss Mina Noyes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Noyes of Lovejoy road, will teach in the grammar schools of Rowe, Me. Miss Noyes was graduated from Pynchard High school in 1922. She entered Salem Normal school and was graduated from that school in June after completing a two-year course.

Miss Mary Leary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Leary of Highland road, will teach in the public schools of Holderness, N.H. Miss Leary finished a three-year course at Lowell Normal school last June. She was graduated from Pynchard High school in 1920. She will teach a fourth grade class.

Miss Ruth May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David May of 40 Washington avenue, will enter Massachusetts Homeopathic hospital, in Boston in October. Miss May is a graduate of Pynchard High school. She was captain of the Pynchard high girls' basketball team which won the championship of Essex County last year.

Four sisters, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Stack of 20 Summer street, have resumed their duties as teachers in public schools in this vicinity. All are graduates of Pynchard High school. The girls are Miss Rita Stack, who teaches in the Methuen school; Miss Lillian, who teaches in the Bartlett school, Haverhill; and Miss Alice Stack and Miss Eunice Stack who teach at the John Dove school in Andover.

Miss Mary O'Dowd, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Dominick O'Dowd of 59 Elm street, has accepted a position in the public schools of New London, Conn., and will teach sixth grade pupils the coming school year. Miss O'Dowd was salutatorian of the class of 1921, Pynchard high school. She continued her studies at Lowell Normal school, graduating in 1923 and taught in the public schools of South Royalton during the past year.

A food sale was held in the Ames Butter store on Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock for the benefit of the Fraternal building fund by the ladies of the different lodges. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Gilbert Caldwell and Mrs. Robert Low for the Clan auxiliary; Mrs. James Souter and Mrs. George York for the Pythian Sisters and Mrs. Franklin Valentine and Mrs. William Faulkner for the Rebekahs. Mrs. Edmund Dunwoody was in general charge.

Three Andover girls will return to Bridgewater Normal school at Bridgewater this month. Miss Marion Wilkinson, daughter of Mrs. Marion Wilkinson of 36 High street; and Miss Bessie Carter daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Carter of High Plain road, will enter their senior year at the school. Miss Margaret May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David May of 40 Washington avenue, will enter her junior year at the school. She is taking a four-year course. The three girls are graduates of Pynchard High school.

Burgess-Hill Family Holds Reunion

The third annual reunion of the Burgess-Hill family was held at Wells beach, Maine, on Sunday with a good attendance. At the business session the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Ira B. Hill, Andover; vice president, Mrs. Wilfred Senior, Sanford, Maine; secretary, Mrs. Olney Burgess, Norway, Maine; treasurer, Frank A. Hill, Cliftondale; executive committee, Wilfred Senior, Sanford, Maine; Charles A. Hill, Andover; Olney Burgess, Norway, Maine.

At two o'clock a bountiful dinner was served in the large dining room, after which speeches were in order and letters of regret were read from members of the family unable to be present. Letters were received from Dr. C. W. Burgess, Bethany, Missouri; Miss Addie Burgess, Andover, Maine; Mrs. Harry Thomas, Andover, Maine; and Mrs. Clara Thing, Livermore Falls, Maine. The Burgess family take pride in the work that has been accomplished by members of the family in developing the improvements that the present generation live to enjoy.

The first carpet loom made to shift its own colors was invented by H. G. Burgess then of Lowell, and it was by him the Hoosac tunnel was completed after being given up three different times. He was also the designer of the elevated railroad and the first model built is still in the possession of the Burgess family and used to amuse the children of the present generation.

The following members of the family were present: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill, North Andover; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, Cliftondale; Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Hill, Andover; Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hill, Andover; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Senior, Sanford, Maine; Mr. and Mrs. Olney Burgess, Norway, Maine; Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Amber, Rangley, Maine; Misses Gladys A. Marion E. and Dorothy Hill and Charles A. Hill Jr., and Miss Shirley McKee of Andover; Miss Lucille Hill, Cliftondale; Misses Mildred and Ada Senior, Sanford, Maine; and Miss Madeline Burgess, Norway, Maine.

With the setting of the sun the party broke up with Norway, Maine, decided upon as the meeting place for 1925.

Attended Regiment Reunion

John H. Steward of this town was one of the guests present at the 32nd annual reunion of the 24th and 28th Maine Regiment Association which was held in Waterville, Maine, recently. The meeting was called to order by Comrade Cephas Walker of Madison, Me.

The following officers were elected: President, George R. Foster, of Lisbon Falls, Me.; first vice president, Cephas Walker of Madison, Me.; second vice president, H. L. Patten of Madison, Me.; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. E. P. Hood of Auburn, Maine.

It was voted to meet in Waterville next year, the time to be as near the middle of August as accommodations can best be secured.

An excellent dinner was served the guests in G. A. Hall in Waterville, the menu being prepared by the Ladies' Circle. Captain Silas Adams made an after-dinner speech and the following program was presented: "Star Spangled Banner," cornet solo, Wilfred Childs; remarks by Captain Adams; reading by Miss Loretta Gilman; saxophone solo and accompaniment, grandchildren of George R. Foster, one of the veterans; readings, Mrs. Briggs; vocal solo, Mrs. Evelyn Foster; reading, Mrs. Mae Bicknell; remarks by Dr. Towne, department commander of the American Legion of the state of Maine, and the singing of "America" by the entire company.

Grand Council X. B. K. Elects Officers

At a meeting held Sunday afternoon in the Free church, delegates from the X. B. K. fraternities elected officers of the Grand Council for the ensuing year as follows: President, Melvin Haynes; vice president, Wilfred Swenson; secretary, James Barter; treasurer, James Morton.

Plans for the annual convention of the X. B. K. which is to be held in the Free church Saturday afternoon, September 20, were discussed at the meeting.

More than 400 delegates are expected to attend the convention which will open at three o'clock followed by an initiation at half past three. The business meeting will be called at five o'clock with a banquet and entertainment as the closing features. Representatives of the following X. B. K. fraternities were present at the meeting Sunday: Grenfell chapter, James Morton, William Barnett, Wilfred Swenson; Phillips Brooks chapter, John Carse, George Knipe; Alpha chapter, Ashley Barnes; West church chapter, Roger Lewis, Stephen Lovejoy; Abraham Lincoln chapter, Melvin Haynes, Clyde Mears, Richard Wrigley.

The next meeting of the grand council delegates will be held next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the Free church.

New Year's Resolutions

January 1st we all hail the New Year, and make sundry resolutions, which may or may not be kept. But for the majority of people September 1st is the beginning of a New Year. We are back fresh from vacations. The work has been slack in the summer, and will be in full swing again in the fall.

Setting aside resolutions, which as was said above may or may not be kept, what can we actually do to start the New Year right? The biggest thing is to see that we are in first class physical condition. We can accomplish so much more when we feel well. Every apparently healthy person should visit the doctor at least once a year for a thorough overhauling. The doctor will discover any small ailments before they are too far along to cause trouble. He will go over the body machine and correct any defects as the garage man goes over a car before it is entirely out of commission.

Resolve to have a health examination this fall, and all the other resolves can be carried out twice as easily.

Marriage

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2.30 Thursday. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Winthrop S. Boutwell.

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Fourth Sunday of month, Communion day for Children of Mary.
Holy Name Society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.
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Sheer Indifference

It has been suggested to the Townsman by a prominent citizen of Andover that a list be published in the columns of this paper which would contain the names of all the registered voters in the town who did not exercise their franchise at the polls this week. (To disallow the squeamish ones it might be well to say at this point that the list will not be printed at the present time.)

Such a list would consist of the "Street List of Polls" practically intact. What few exceptions there are would take in approximately one-third of the total, scattered individually here and there throughout.

Of all the registered voters in Andover about one-third saw fit to express themselves at the polls last Tuesday. Of the remaining two-thirds there were probably two or three per cent that were physically unable to vote, but certainly over half the people in our town showed indifference. This was in spite of the fact that there was a contest for representative from this district, senator from this district, and many other offices of interest to the state.

A widespread interest in any form of activity is conducive to weeding out undesirable elements in it, and the promotion of a general interest in politics. We have to admit that our country is being run by a small minority of the eligible voters, but we do nothing about it. Among the indifferent two-thirds here in Andover there are doubtless many who profess to be discontented with the results of county and state elections in past years, but there

are still two-thirds who remain indifferent.

We may not get the man we want if there are not enough of us who want him; and we may get the man we want if there are not enough who do not want him; but the man we get is the man who is wanted by the majority of those who wanted some one enough to do their duty and vote.

Editorial Cinders

During the past few weeks certain unsuccessful candidates for state offices have received support in these columns. The Townsman feels, however, that the men nominated will be a great credit to the state and their party, and pledges full support to them in the approaching election, as will every good Republican in the Commonwealth.

The new road to North Andover is under way—a steam shovel with all its necessary paraphernalia is actually on the job. To be sure, the new road will start at the North Andover line, but there is no doubt that the shell-holes have been much worse within the section under construction. All users of the road will feel that the immediate discomforts of the usual detour can be borne much better now that the future of a smooth boulevard is ahead. The other road which is part of the same project, leading from Wilson's Corner into Lawrence, will, no doubt, be a great boon to the Salem-Lawrence traffic, and in addition relieve our Main street of some of its present heavy burden.

Essex County Fair to Eclipse All Records

All roads will lead to Topsfield next week, where the largest and best Fair ever seen in Essex County will be staged. Entries in all departments are pouring in daily and the grounds are nearly in readiness for the big event. There will be ten distinct Agricultural Shows on display throughout the Fair and a continuous program of education and entertainment both day and evening. Splendid horse racing, vaudeville, horse shows, band concerts, dancing, fireworks, so forth are some of the features. The 20th Century Wonders, the greatest act of its kind in the world will entertain visitors on the track each afternoon, featuring riderless races, cart before the horse and clown races. The fireworks along for the evenings shows will cost over \$1,000.00.

Judging of the cattle, fruit, flowers, vegetables, grange exhibits, horses, sheep, goats, swine, poultry, women's and children's departments will begin Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Wednesday being Merchants and Clerks day will see a large number from the various cities of the County on hand to enjoy the mammoth exhibits. Arrangements are being made to accommodate people who do not have other means of getting to the Fair Grounds, or want to leave their car at home on account of the crowds.

The midway always interests everyone with the Metro Carnival of rides and shows and the many games and stands. All will enjoy a visit to this part of the grounds.

To Form Choral Society

A meeting to discuss the formation of a choral organization for the performance of Bach's St. Matthew Passion will be held Tuesday evening, September 16, at eight o'clock at Peabody House on Phillips street. Doubtless Bach's Mass in B minor, his Passion Music according to St. Matthew and Beethoven's Missa Solemnis are the three greatest choral compositions in existence. Of these, the St. Matthew Passion is undoubtedly the most dramatic. It would be a splendid thing for the entire community if a performance of this masterpiece could be given during every Lenten season. The music is not in the slightest degree dry or tedious but most interesting. It was the romanticist Mendelssohn who revived the work with enthusiasm just one hundred years after its first performance.

All persons interested in the presentation of Bach's St. Matthew Passion, whether or not they will be able to continue work with the chorus, are invited to be present at the meeting Tuesday evening.

Thirty-Four Years in Priesthood

Friday is the thirty-fourth anniversary of the ordination to the Holy Priesthood of Rev. Fr. John A. Nugent, pastor of St. Augustine's church. Fr. Nugent plans no formal celebration of the event and will observe the day quietly.

Fr. Nugent was ordained to the priesthood at the Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul at Philadelphia by His Grace Archbishop P. J. Ryan D.D. on September 12, 1890.

Road to Haverhill Closed

The road from Andover to Haverhill through North Andover has been closed by the state highway department for extensive reconstruction beginning at Wilson's corner. A large sign at the junction of High and Elm street has been erected directing traffic to Haverhill and beyond through Lawrence. The diverting of traffic down North Main street will vastly increase the risk of autoists and the public and the narrow section from the square to Stimpson's bridge makes extreme caution necessary. Any attempt at violation of traffic rules, such as speeding and cutting in will be carefully watched by the local police.

To Enter Abbot Academy

Four local young girls who were graduated from the Stowe school last June will enter Abbot academy on September 17. Miss Polly Francis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Francis of 24 Central street, Miss Barbara Folk, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. Edgar Folk of 75 Chestnut street, Miss Dorothy Gerriah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gerriah, of 6 William street, and Miss Lois Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hardy of 22 William street, have been notified of their successful passing of the entrance examinations and will enter the freshman year at the opening of the fall term.

To Hold Bakery Sale for Benefit of Atlanta University

The third and last of the Bakery Sales for Dr. Shipman's work in Atlanta, will take place at Playdon's Flower Shop on Friday afternoon, September 19, between the hours of two and five.

The committee has been delighted with the splendid cooperation which has been so manifest during these sales.

Andover as usual has come forward with her true missionary spirit.

As announced in July, Mrs. Hussey and Mrs. Melledge will take orders on Friday for fish-cakes.

The full amount of money made at this series of sales will be announced in the Townsman after the returns from the final sale.

The general committee wishes to thank all who have contributed to this successful undertaking.

The committee for Friday, September 19, consists of the following: Mrs. William B. Cheever, Mrs. C. J. Francis, Miss Ella Hall, Mrs. Frank H. Kendall.

New Shawsheen School to Be Completed October First

A special meeting of the school committee was held in the new Shawsheen school Wednesday evening. The members were assured by the foreman of the Shattuck company, that the building would be completed not later than October 1.

The cost of the new school will be approximately \$230,000, which includes the grading work and when completed the school will rank with the best in the state.

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Square and Compass Club to Share in Aeroplane Contest

At a meeting of representatives of the Square and Compass club and the Fraternal building association held in the former's rooms on Saturday evening it was voted by the Square and Compass club members to participate with the Fraternal members in the aeroplane drive for building funds.

The members present from the Square and Compass club were: Roy E. Hardy, I. R. Kimball, E. E. Hammond, Fred H. Morrison, Harry Sellers, David L. Coutts, and from the Fraternal Building association, W. A. Allen, James C. Souter, James Benvie, George York, W. A. Stevens, Alfred Robb and W. A. Harraden.

It was voted to combine the strength of the two clubs and call the newly formed club the Andover Fraternal Organization. The president is W. A. Allen; the vice president, Roy E. Hardy; the secretary, Alfred Robb, and the treasurer, E. E. Hammond.

The committee on publicity and printing is David L. Coutts and George York and the committee on the distribution of tickets is Fred H. Morrison and W. A. Stevens.

This organization is for the aerial judging contest only and the funds received from this drive will be divided equally between the Fraternal Building association and the Square and Compass Club.

The details of the affair which will take place the last of October have been carefully laid out by Captain Connell. Such a contest has never before taken place in this country, but they have been conducted successfully in England and Canada where thousands of dollars were raised for charities. The contest is one of skill and not of chance. Captain Connell will fly one hour a day for four days over a radius of forty miles with Andover as a center. He will maintain the same altitude on his successive flights and the height will be measured from sea level. Prizes will be awarded to those who come the nearest to guessing the exact height of the aeroplane.

Tickets with postal cards attached will be ready in a few days and are to be sold at 25 cents each. Any one wishing to participate in the contest will write his name on the postal card and mail it to headquarters at 4 Main street. A corps of workers have been engaged to look after the details of the contest and Captain Connell and William A. Allen will have supervision. It is planned to engage agents in several towns and cities within the flying area and an intensive campaign will be waged.

As an incentive to those selling tickets the committee in charge has voted to pay one dollar per book for selling five books or over. The books will contain 25 tickets at 25 cents per ticket.

"Let Us Forget"

It has occurred to a friend of the Home for Aged People that of all the persons in Andover who own automobiles there must be a few who would be willing to offer the use of their car for an hour or so, morning or afternoon, to give a little outing to the four aged women in the Home who are still able to enjoy a ride. Thus would be a treat indeed to them as they have had only one ride this summer, and none of them are strong enough to walk far into the country which is so beautiful at this time of year. With a presumably long winter ahead of them a few glimpses of the beautiful country around Andover would furnish food for pleasant memories to these ladies who will be practically shut in for a long time.

A FRIEND

Weddings

HILL—HILL

A very pretty wedding took place on Saturday at Wianno on the Cape when Miss Theodora Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Hill, of 325 Beacon street, Boston, became the bride of Herbert Wells Hill, son of Mrs. Herbert Hill of Andover.

The ceremony was performed in St. Peter's Episcopal church before the immediate families. Rev. Frank W. Crowder of New York City was the officiating clergyman, assisted by Rev. James Bancroft of Woods Hole.

The bride wore a brown traveling suit with hat to match and was attended by Miss Elizabeth Hamlin of Boston. Norman T. Allen of Andover was the best man.

The wedding was followed by a breakfast and reception at the summer home of the bride's parents at Wianno.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill left for Hampton, Virginia, where Mr. Hill has accepted a position as teacher of history at Hampton Institute. He is a graduate of Phillips academy and of Harvard College, Class of 1924. Mrs. Hill was a student at Miss Winslow's school, Boston.

ATKINS—PERKINS

A very pretty early fall wedding took place Saturday evening at six o'clock in Christ church when Miss Elizabeth Christine Perkins, daughter of George Perkins of 8 Lewis street, was united in marriage to C. W. Atkins of Chicago, Illinois. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles W. Henry, rector of the church.

The bride had for her attendants Miss Molly Jacobs and Miss Margaret Chick, as bridesmaids and Miss Clara Biggar as maid of honor. The groom was attended by Thomas E. Gorman, a shipmate on the U. S. S. Breck. Miss Frances Bradshaw, a niece of the bride, and Helen Cowan, served as flower girls. Two small boys as pages, George Bradshaw and Christopher Shorten, and May V. Shorten, the ring-bearer, made up the bridal procession.

William A. Huey, David S. Maupin and Robert D. Keen, all shipmates of the groom, served as ushers.

A reception was tendered the couple at the home of the bride at which more than fifty friends and relatives were present.

The bride is a graduate of Pynchard school, class of 1921, and has been employed in the office of the Tyler Ryber company. The groom has been a member of the U. S. S. navy since 1917, and is a petty officer on the U. S. S. Breck.

Mr. and Mrs. Atkins will reside at 8 Lewis street after their return from a honeymoon to be spent in Chicago, Illinois.

Play Whist for Square and Compass Building Fund

A very successful whist party was held at the home of John Erving on Salem street, Tuesday evening. The affair was held on the lawn, until the rain interfered, when play was resumed indoors.

Bridge and whist were played at more than thirty tables and the prize winners were: Bridge—Ladies' first, Mrs. T. H. Lane; consolation, Miss Margaret Moore; gentlemen's first, William C. Bliss; consolation, John Moore.

Progressive whist—Ladies' first, Mrs. Ruth Bodwell; consolation, Mrs. Andrew McTernan; gentlemen's first, Henry Todd; consolation, I. R. Kimball.

The affair was held for the benefit of the Andover Square and Compass building fund.

Motorcycles in Collision

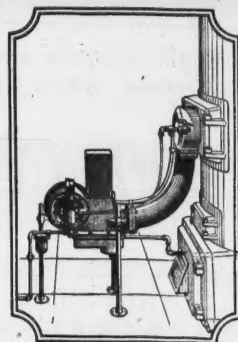
Lawrence La Ford of 2141 Wyoming avenue, Washington, D. C., had a toe broken in a collision of motorcycles at the corner of Phillips and Main streets, Saturday afternoon.

The motorcycle operated by La Ford was coming down Main street and the operator had signalled to turn into Phillips street when another motorcycle operated by Herbert Lee of 84 Hastings street, Cambridge, attempted to pass and ran into La Ford's machine, cutting off the latter's left foot rest and injuring his foot. The injured operator was able to drive to the office of Dr. Philip W. Blake where he received medical attention.

Lee's machine was badly damaged in the collision.

Birth

September 5, 1924, a son, Frederick Ward Thompson, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ward Thompson of River street.



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The calendar for the first days of the school year 1924-1925 follows:

September 15, Monday, dormitories open for occupancy.
September 16, Tuesday, 9 a.m., chapel service followed by entrance examinations.
September 17, Wednesday, 7.45 a.m., regular work begins for the lower classes.
September 18, Thursday, 7.45 a.m., regular work begins for the two upper classes.

Obituaries

CARL HENRY DRESCHER

Carl Henry Drescher, aged fifty-seven years, passed away at 1:15 o'clock Saturday morning at the family home, 18 Wolcott avenue. Deceased had been head of an accounting department of the American Woolen company for the past thirty-seven years. He had not been well for two weeks but his illness was not considered dangerous until late Friday evening when he suffered a relapse.

At the time of his death Mr. Drescher was head of the collection department of the manufacturing company.

The late Mr. Drescher was a member of the Royal Arch chapter, Bethany Commandery, Aleppo Temple of Shriners and the Lyra Glee club. He was a native of Lawrence but had made his home in Andover for the past two years.

To mourn his loss he leaves his wife, Flora L.; one daughter, Mrs. Andrew Collins of Andover, and one granddaughter, Flora Mabel Collins.

The funeral services conducted by Rev. C. Guy Robbins of the Universalist church, Lawrence, were held Monday afternoon at the late home at 2 o'clock.

The quartet from the Universalist church assisted at the service. A delegation was present from Bethany Commandery, Knight Templars. The bearers were Christopher Russell, William A. Shattuck, Harry M. Hill, William G. Donald, Reinhardt G. Knuepfer, William H. Kidney, James R. Bailey, Jr., Parry C. Wiggins, Willard A. Currier and Clarence E. Cate acted as honorary pall bearers.

Interment was in the family lot in Bellvue cemetery where committal services were held. There was a profusion of floral tributes.

MRS. MARY GORDON DEWAR

Mary Gordon Dewar, widow of the late William Dewar, died on Tuesday, September 9, at the home of her niece, Miss Jennie Hunter, 7 Brook street. Deceased was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, ninety-three years ago. She is survived by one sister, Miss Jennie McConachy. Mrs. Dewar came to reside in Andover about nine years ago and has made many friends here.

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at one-thirty o'clock, at her late home, Rev. E. Victor Bigelow officiating. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Boston.

CHARLES BOYCE

Charles Boyce, for two months a resident of Andover at the Caron Court apartments, died suddenly on Thursday of this week in his eighty-third year.

He was born in Lynn in 1841. Before his retirement from business, he was for many years a member of the old firm of W. S. Boyce, merchants of Boston.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Maria Louisa Boyce; two sons, W. B. Boyce of Madrid, Spain, and C. A. Boyce of New York City; and two daughters, both of Boston.

Funeral services conducted by Rev. E. Victor Bigelow will be held at the late home Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. Burial will be at Pine Grove cemetery, Lynn.

LEON SPAULDING

Leon Spaulding, formerly of Andover, and a graduate of Phillips Academy in the Class of 1888, died Thursday at his summer home at East Sebago, Maine, following a year's illness due to heart trouble.

He was born in Townsend Harbor, fifty-seven years ago. For many years the family lived in Andover, occupying the house at 56 Bartlet street, now occupied by Mrs. Hurley.

Mr. Spaulding was for thirty-five years a member of the internationally known firm of J. Spaulding Sons company, leatherboard manufacturers. During the first ten years of his association with the company he was located in North Rochester as head of the local plant. When the company opened its plant at Tonawanda, N. Y., for the manufacture of vulcanized fibre, he was placed in charge. He was an extensive traveller, having toured Europe several times by motor.

Surviving him are a widow, two brothers, former Governor Rolland H. Spaulding and Huntley N. Spaulding of Rochester, and a sister Mrs. Marion Potter of New York. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon and will be private.

A Movable Feast

What is more delicious than a real English tea?

The fame of that of the Country Fair for Thursday, September 18, has spread to such proportions, that rather than have the large numbers who wish to attend have the fate of Humpty-Dumpty, and fall off the verandahs, the committee has moved the supper body to the Parish House, where it can be served much more easily and efficiently.

And right here let it be known that this is a real, live supper, and not a cup of tea and a sandwich. Boston baked beans are all right in their place—we must ever be loyal to them, but it happens that this time they can't intrude; in fact they are going to have a well-earned rest.

Tickets for the tea are for sale by Mrs. David Munroe, Phillips street, and the committee.

The more you think about this delicious supper, the more certain you'll be that you mustn't miss it. It's from five until seven.

The tea—cold beef, cold ham, vegetable salad, hot buttered tea cakes, jams, tarts, bread and butter, pickles, preserves, tarts, turnovers, little cakes and tea.

Clan to Hold Beach Ride

Clan Johnston will conduct an auto ride to Revere beach this evening which is open to the public. Autos will leave the Fraternal Building on Park street at 6.30 o'clock.

The regular meeting of Clan Johnston scheduled for Friday evening, September 19, will not be held as the Clan and the Ladies' auxiliary will pay a fraternal visit to the Beverly Clan and auxiliary.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Chief of Police and Mrs. Frank M. Smith are enjoying a vacation on Cape Cod.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. French of School street are spending several days at Wolfeboro, N. H.

Miss Ruth Cates of Whittier street is enjoying a several days' stay at Biddeford Pool, Me.

Miss Lucy Burrill of the Andover Home for the Aged is celebrating her ninety-sixth birthday today.

Miss Madeline F. Farmer of Waltham is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Rivard on Chestnut street.

Miss Mary Hart of High street has begun her second year as a teacher in the grammar school at Billerica.

Norman Harris of New Haven, Conn., spent the week-end at the home of his parents on Washington avenue.

Mrs. V. D. Harrington and family have returned from Rye North Beach, N. H., where they spent the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan have returned to their home on Maple avenue after spending the summer months at Nantucket.

Mrs. Minnie F. Flanders who recently sold the Main street restaurant which she had managed for the past year left town Thursday for Westfield, where she will make her future home.

A. A. Roesch, the local Ford dealer, has purchased the new house recently completed on Walnut avenue from E. P. Hall. Mr. Roesch's family removed from Arlington to their new home this week.

The ways and means committee of the Fraternal Building association and the fair committee will hold a meeting in the Fraternal building Saturday evening at eight o'clock. Members of the six organizations are requested to be present as business of importance is to be discussed.

A committee from the women's organizations belonging to the Fraternal Building association held a successful food sale in Ames' butter store yesterday afternoon. Those in charge were Mrs. Edmund Dunwoody, chairman; Mrs. Franklin Valentine, Mrs. William Faulkner, Mrs. Gilbert Caldwell, Mrs. Robert Lowe, Mrs. George York, Mrs. James Souter.

Miss Viola Cashman, Miss Margaret Kelley and Miss Doris Natho, have resumed their studies at Salem Normal school on Wednesday. The girls are members of the chess club. Miss Cashman was second honor essayist of her class at Pynchard High in 1923. Miss Kelley was prophet of the same class. Miss Natho was graduated from Haverhill high school. She has been making her home in Andover the past two years.

Tendered Shower at K. of C. Clubhouse

Miss Marguerite Donovan was given a pleasant surprise Monday evening in the K. of C. parlors when the members of Court St. Monica, C. D. of A. of which she is treasurer tendered her a miscellaneous shower in honor of her approaching marriage to Myles West, formerly of Lynnfield, but who is now a telephone operator at the local B. & M. station.

The shower was a complete surprise to Miss Donovan as it followed the business meeting of the C. D. A. Members had presumably left the hall for their homes and while the treasurer was engaged in conversation with the other officers, the members merely retired to the parlors where they awaited the young lady's arrival to present her with many beautiful and useful articles. The officers of the court gave their treasurer a beautiful picture.

A mock marriage was one of the amusing events of the evening. The participants were: Bride, Miss Margaret Sweeney; groom, Miss Katherine Hurley; bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Ronan; best man, Miss Betty Hurley; clergyman, Miss Catherine Hickey. A Dutch dancing specialty by Miss Catherine Sweeney accompanied by Miss Frances McAvoy, solos by Miss Kathleen Hart and several piano and mandolin selections by the Misses Edith and Miriam Sweeney pleased the large gathering. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The affair broke up at a late hour with many good wishes for the popular young lady.

Those present: Marie Daley, Louise Daley, Julia Watts, Esther Carey, Alice Welch, Mary Dudley, Helen Hickey, Catherine Hickey, Catherine, Elizabeth and Margaret Hurley, Lillian McCarthy, Margaret Ronan, Frances O'Connell, Mary and Bessie Gagan, Eva Cashan, Nellie Quigley, Alice Barrett, Grace Riley, Mary Kennedy, Honora and Anna Cronin, Katherine E. Hurley, Edith Stack, Mary Robertson, Mary McDonald, Maude Fitzgerald, Edith and Miriam Sweeney, Anna Greeley, Katherine Sullivan, Margaret Sweeney, Margaret Danahy, Mary Maroney, Alice Heffernan, Gwendolyn Fallon, Kathleen Hart, Julia Daley, and Marguerite Donovan. Mrs. Louise H. Daley, Mrs. Charles Bailey, Mrs. William Doherty, Mrs. Peter Cunningham, Mrs. John Kimball, Mrs. Frank S. McDonald, Mrs. John P. Alexander, Mrs. David Keuhner, Mrs. David Hartigan, Mrs. George Donovan, Mrs. Mary Bradshaw, Mrs. Dennis Sweeney, Mrs. Frank McBride, Mrs. Frank Connelly, Mrs. Thomas Brucato, Mrs. Walter J. Morrissey, Mrs. Sara Donovan, Mrs. Thomas Rogers, Mrs. Joseph Fallon, Mrs. William Annan, Mrs. Annie Quigley, Mrs. William Simons, Mrs. William Brucato, Mrs. John Davis, and Mrs. John Donovan.

Public Schools Open

The largest registration in the history of public and parochial schools was recorded Monday night at the superintendent of schools office.

The total number registered Monday night by the different teachers was 1374 in the public schools, many more than last year at this time, and 269 in the parochial school, the same as last year, but with several more expected.

The high school has the largest enrollment in its history, with 254 pupils. There are three post graduates; 51 in the senior class; 46 in the junior class; 60 in the sophomore class and 94 in the freshman class, a gain of nine over the entering class of last year.

The Stowe junior high has also a big registration, 132 being in the eighth grade and 91 in the seventh grade, a total of 223.

The John Dove and Samuel C. Jackson primary schools have 369 pupils with about 30 more who will probably come later.

Shawsheen school has 170 already in attendance, 29 in the first grade and 30 in the second, which makes it imperative for a short time to hold extra sessions for these grades until the new school is ready.

Indian Ridge has 78 pupils; Bradley school, 152; West Center, 39; North, 37; Osgood, 28 and Bailey 24; a total of 1374.

ABBOT ACADEMY OPENS

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French philologist. Later, she returned to this country and for the past year has been an instructor in French at Wykeham Rise, Washington, Connecticut. Mme. Riest brings to Abbot ripe scholarship and successful experience which should be of great value to the school.

During the past summer, Miss Marceau and Mme. Craig have been travelling in Europe. Miss Bean has been studying at the Summer School of Harvard University, and Miss Baker and Miss Burt have taken courses at the Summer School of Cornell University.

The Class of 1924 made an excellent record on the College Board Examinations. All those taking Comprehensive examinations were admitted to college, and it is expected that the few failures on the Old Plan examinations will be made good this fall.

A number of students from the Academic Course are entering universities and vocational schools.

Last Call for the Country Fair

The committee for the Country Fair is all ready for the "Hop Off!"

In fact (confidentially) it feels that a "hop off" somewhere, anywhere, would be a dream! But after hard work results appear.

Dolls are having their last fittings, smocks being tried on, clowns rehearsing, the magician tucking things up his sleeve, horses and pony prancing, lights and banners all ready to go up, flowers being watered, apples and pears being rubbed until they look like Christmas decorations; the menu for the supper is arranged, tickets are out for the cards, Andover industries packing their week-end bags to visit us, musicians tuning up, dancers ready—in fact everything prepared for 2 o'clock Thursday, September 18.

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Egyptian Bazaar Notes

The committee in charge of the handkerchief and household linen table for the Egyptian bazaar will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Hardy, 115 Chestnut street, on Tuesday evening, September 15. All members are requested to carry all finished articles with them to the meeting.

A meeting of the Egyptian committee for the Egyptian bazaar is being held this afternoon at the South church at three o'clock.

A meeting of the publicity committee will be held this evening with Miss Anna W. Kuhn at half past seven.

There will be a meeting of members of the committee for the doll table with Mrs. John L. Avery, 137 Main street, next Friday afternoon at half past two. Members are asked to carry all finished work to the meeting.

Baptist Church Picnic Tomorrow

The annual Sunday-school picnic of the Baptist church will be held tomorrow at Hart's pond, South Chelmsford. Trucks will leave the church at nine o'clock. Tickets for adults \$1.00; children under fifteen years of age, 50 cents.

Will Enter Dartmouth College

Edward H. Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Foster of Lupine road, has received notice of his successful passing of the college board examinations for entrance to Dartmouth college.

Mr. Foster was graduated from Phillips academy last June and won senior honors in advanced French and advanced Greek, in addition to winning second prize in the Joseph Cook competition for excellence in Greek. He was one of sixteen seniors to graduate cum laude.

Ted won his "A" in the Exeter football game last fall and was on the baseball squad during the spring. He will leave for Hanover, N. H., Monday, and will be a candidate for the Freshman football team.

Plans for National Defense Day

At the Legion meeting held Tuesday evening in the Legion rooms so large a number of ex-service men were present to file adjusted compensation blanks that the talk by Bartlett H. Hayes was omitted until next meeting, September 23. At that time also the new plan for a war memorial will be discussed and it is hoped there will be a large delegation of members of the Legion present. Plans for the observance of Defense Day on September 12 were set forth, however, and the following will be of interest to every man, woman and child in Andover:

In order that Andover may be at the fore in doing its patriotic duty, as has been its custom during the past, every citizen of our town, male and female, is requested to report in front of the town hall on Friday evening between the hours of 6.20 and 10 p.m., and show by declaring themselves that they are 100 percent Americans, and that they are willing to aid our country at any crisis that may arise.

Ten strokes of the fire alarm at 6.30, ten strokes at 6.32 and ten strokes at 6.34 will announce the official mobilization signal. This means that the hour has arrived when every able-bodied man in the country should report at a designated place in his respective city or town, and let it be known that he would help his country in time of need. Our president, Calvin Coolidge, has designated by proclamation that this day, National Defense Day, September 12, be a day on which every citizen in the country should show his devotion to his flag and his willingness to perform the duties which it may demand. Members of the town hall (if pleasant, and inside if otherwise), and take the names of Andover's patriotic citizens. In cities and places throughout the country where there are army posts of National Guard outfits, the duties will be taken care of by them. Andover, however, has no active military organization, and in accordance with the wish of our President, the local post of the American Legion will carry out this patriotic work.

Andover has a world war record to feel extremely proud of, and always has shown its true caliber of patriotism in the past. Let it not be said that our town has turned from that glorious path in failing to perform its duty on Friday. Every man or woman who is physically able should make it his or her duty to report some time between the hours of 6.30 and 10, and help to prove that Andover can again be proud of its citizenry.

Pacificism has swept over our country from coast to coast, and it is up to every true American to curb this wave of unconstitutional action and prove that the ideals and principles of our freedom are built on a rock-bound basis of loyal and patriotic defense of America, by America and for America.

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They feasted long and they feasted well 'Mid the fragrant pines in that little dell. While cares and worries fled like dew Before the sun when the morn is new. For fellowship reigned and calm content In that festive hour so happily spent. And the children added their joyous mirth—The merriest sound on this mid old earth. But the good things of life must go their way, And quickly faded the last bright ray. The shades of night came slowly down, The raindrops fell on the good old town. But naught could dampen, naught could chill That merry crowd on old Pomp's Hill. As they cheered the Wife and genial Host Of the Foster Farm and their gay Corn Roast. ...

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WEST PARISH

Robert Bartlett, who has been ill with scarlet fever, is out again.

Sunday school will begin at the West church on Sunday at the usual hour.

Mrs. Harry Wright has returned from a vacation in East Blue Hill, Maine.

Miss Bessie Carter of High Plain road has resumed her studies at Bridgewater Normal School.

Pomona Grange will meet with Quasacungrun Grange No. 236, Byfield, on Thursday, October 2.

The Christian Endeavor society will meet on Sunday evening with James R. Carter, High Plain road.

Miss Arlene Flint of Bailey District is attending the Home-making Department at Essex Agricultural School, Hathorne.

Sunday, September 21, will be observed as Rally Sunday in all the various departments and societies of the West church.

Miss Eleanor Brown who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of Lowell street, has returned to Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Sarah Wagstaff has returned from the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston, where a successful operation was performed on her eyes.

Mrs. Edwin Bryant and daughter, Winnifred have returned to their home in Somerville after having spent several weeks with Mrs. George M. Carter, High Plain road.

A committee of Sunday School workers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Corliss, Osgood road, to make plans for the coming season's work at the West church Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Cadman of Shawshen road have moved to Nova Scotia. Mr. Cadman has been employed by George L. Averill on his farm, but failing health obliged him to seek a different climate.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet on Thursday afternoon with the president, Mrs. Winthrop Boutwell. The meeting is an important one as plans are to be made for the fair to be held later.

The R. P. C. Girls' club met with their treasurer, Miss Winona Boutwell, on Monday evening. At the business meeting, plans for the coming season were talked over. The business meeting was followed by a social hour and refreshments were served.

Albert Gilman and William Rennie report a record catch of fish at Haggatt's, Wednesday. Nine pickerel weighed seventeen pounds, while eight bass tipped the scales at twenty-five pounds, and they were good eating as their neighbors and friends who

were generously supplied with some, can testify.

Community Night Observed

Andover Grange celebrated Community night on Tuesday evening. A short business meeting was held at 7.30 after which the doors were opened to the public.

A good sized audience greeted the speaker of the evening, Rev. Arthur Barber of Lawrence, who gave a lecture on "Immigration." A fine musical program was given as follows: Piano duet, Misses Barbara and Evelyn Folk; vocal solo, Mrs. Lillian Carmichael with Miss Emma Holt as accompanist; piano solo, Miss Evelyn Folk; and piano solo by Miss Barbara Folk.

Mrs. George M. Carter and Mrs. Herbert Lewis served light refreshments at the close of the entertainment.

The Woman's club of Andover Grange met on Tuesday afternoon to work for the sale to be held soon. The next meeting will be held September 22 in Grange Hall at 2.30.

The next meeting of Andover Grange will be September 22, State officer's night. State Secretary William M. Howard of North Easton will be the speaker. Supper will be served at seven o'clock. Mrs. Philip Moor is chairman of the supper committee.

Insurance against rainfall is of constantly recurring interest. Many insurance companies have been working on the question of the risk involved in insuring entertainments such as fairs, fashion shows, ball games, balloon races, stock exhibits, etc., against poor gate receipts because of rainy weather. While rain insurance is entirely a matter of private enterprise, the Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture is called on to furnish the data as to the frequency and amount of rainfall in given places at stated seasons, or otherwise to supply from its records information that will aid rain insurance companies to estimate their risks and adjust their rates accordingly.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Rev. Clifford W. Reynolds, Pastor

10.30. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Sunday school to follow.
7.00. Union service.
7.30 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

Miss Helen Schneider is spending the week in Boston.

Mrs. Oliver Coates is improving from a recent illness.

Miss Laura Moore of Lawrence was a recent guest of friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cleary were recent guests of Mrs. Ellen McAvoy.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Harwood motored to Wolfboro, N. H., over the week-end.

Burt Worthing has gone to Florida where he will spend the winter with his daughter Irene.

Miss Katherine Daly has returned home after spending a few days with relatives in South Boston.

Miss Myrtle Chetwynd has returned to her home in Melrose Highlands after visiting relatives here.

Howard Newton of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Moss, Andover street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Russell of North Billerica spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Poor.

Miss Margaret Rigney of Providence, R. I., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Geagan, Andover street.

Miss Emeline C. Bates, teacher in the girls' Latin school of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Martha Byington.

Joseph Gardner has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent with his daughter Mrs. James Anderson of West Medway.

Miss Mussells who will teach the third and fourth grades at the Bradley school will spend the winter with Mrs. Ernest Edwards.

Mrs. Freeman Abbott has returned from the three days' convention of the Essex County Legion Auxiliary held at Worcester.

Rev. Frederick Smith, formerly of this town, will speak at the Methodist church on the question of "Prohibition," on October 26.

Melvin Haynes was elected president of the Grand Council, X. B. K., at a meeting held in the Free church, Andover, on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Paul of South Lawrence and Squire Moss of Lawrence were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Moss of Andover street.

The social committee of the Willing Workers society would like to meet all the women of the society in the vestry next Monday evening.

Mrs. Susan Norton, Mrs. Clarise Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barret and daughter of Nantasket are the guests of Mrs. Freeman Abbott, Dascomb road.

Mrs. Burt Worthing of Woburn street has gone to New York with her daughter, Marie, who will resume her studies in the Eastern Institute of Chiropractic.

The Boy Scout Patrol met on Tuesday evening in the church vestry with Patrol Leader John Russell in charge. Part of the evening was spent learning to tie knots. Another meeting will be called at a later date.

Obituary

LOUIS G. BUCK

Louis G. Buck, a resident of Ballardvale, died early Friday morning, September 5, at the family home on Marland street after an illness of about five weeks.

Born in Wilmington on March 5, 1873, he was the son of Silas and Harriet Buck. He had spent the greater part of his life in Ballardvale and was last employed in the plant of the Tyer Rubber Company. He was a member of St. Matthew's Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

Besides his wife, Susan, he leaves two daughters, Mrs. James Schofield of North Andover, and Miss Mildred Buck of Ballardvale; one sister, Mrs. Edith D. Ormsby of Melrose Highlands; and one brother, Edward Buck of Melrose.

Funeral services were held at the late home Sunday afternoon.

A large delegation of members of St. Matthew's lodge, A. F. and A. M. was present. The Masonic ritual was read by W. M. Alexander Morrison, assisted by Dr. Edwin D. Lane.

A great profusion of beautiful floral tributes was received. The bearers were: L. A. Renny, E. Bentley Pearson, Nathan Mears and Walter Pearson.

Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

Methodist Church Notes

The regular monthly business meeting of the Willing Workers society was held Monday evening in the vestry.

The regular midweek prayer service was held on Wednesday evening.

The boys of the church between the ages of seven and twelve will be organized by the pastor this evening at 6.30. This club will be called the Pathfinders.

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League will be held in the vestry this evening at 7.30.

The Sigma Kappa girls will meet with Mrs. C. W. Reynolds on Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

The Epworth League met this afternoon at 2.30 with Miss Anita Wells in charge.

A meeting of the board of trustees was held on Thursday evening.

Willing Workers' Meeting

The regular monthly business meeting of the Willing Workers' society of the Methodist church was held in the vestry Monday evening with President Ben Nason in charge.

The meeting was opened by singing and devotional exercises.

The Secretary's report was read by Mrs. Samuel Moody and the treasurer's report was read by George Brown. One new member joined the organization.

It was voted to hold a lawn party on Saturday, September 20. A short entertainment followed the business session consisting of a piano solo by Earl Moody, reading by Mrs. George R. Moody, a sketch by Edith Moss, Florence Sanborn, Mrs. C. W. Reynolds, Anita Wells.

E. W. Brown gave an interesting talk on his recent trip to Nova Scotia.

Refreshments were served by the refreshment committee.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nason, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stark, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown, Buddy Brown, Mrs. George R. Moody, Mrs. Frank Cramton, Mrs. Fred Sanborn, Mrs. Harold Petty, Mrs. Ben Summers, Mrs. Samuel Moody, Mrs. James Moss, Mrs. Annie Littlewood, Mrs. L. J. White, Florence Sanborn, Edith Moss, Anita Wells, Andrew Coffin, John Russell, George Brown, Eddie Hasty, Earl Moody, Carl Hofmann, Carl Wells, Elwin Russell.

Congregational Church Notes

Rev. Augustus H. Fuller preached an interesting sermon Sunday morning on "My Duty to My Own Church." William Broadbent, a member of the Hayden quartet of Boston sang three solos.

The Junior Helpers met in the vestry Monday afternoon at 3.45.

The midweek prayer meeting will be held in the vestry on Wednesday evening.

The Order of Joyful Service will meet in the vestry this evening at 7.30.

Playground Committee Meets

A meeting of the Playground committee was held on the grounds Monday evening.

Plans for the new tennis court were discussed. It was voted to replace the worn ropes of the swings with new ones. The lawn swings which have been broken will be put away for the winter and will be repaired before used again. New and stronger poles for gymnastic equipment will be put in.

Those present at the meeting included: Mrs. Alvin Zink, Mrs. William Clemons, Miss Emily Tracy and Edward Hall.

Junior Helpers Meet

The Junior Helpers of the Congregational church met in the vestry on Monday afternoon. Miss Attey Coolidge was in charge of the meeting.

The secretary's and treasurer's report was read and accepted. An interesting story of China was read.

It was voted to give \$10 toward the salary of Miss Caroline Sewall, a missionary in China.

Lodge Elects Delegates

At the regular meeting of Ballardvale lodge, No. 105, I. O. G. T. held in Good Templar hall Monday evening, the following delegates and alternates were elected to represent the lodge at the Grand lodge session at Haverhill, September 17 and 18.

Delegates, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Poor, Miss Julia Nicholas, Alternates, W. O. O'Leary, Alfred Lundgren and David Wilkinson.

Chief Templar Alfred Lundgren presided. It was voted to hold a lawn party on September 22.

The mystery prize was won by Mrs. Lenora Hammond.

ABBOTT VILLAGE

David Waldie of Buxton court visited in Pawtucket, Sunday.

Mrs. George Keith of Stevens street is confined to her home by illness.

Miss Etta Brown of Red Spring road spent the week-end at Hampton Beach.

William D. Valentine of Red Spring road spent Sunday at Central Falls, R. I.

Miss Anne M. Ness of Red Spring road is spending a week visiting in New York.

James Davidson and James Fettes spent a few days recently at Salisbury Beach.

Archibald Davidson has removed his family from Red Spring road to Essex street.

Mrs. Robert Cairnie and family have returned after spending a week at Salisbury Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gray and family have returned after a ten days' stay at Salisbury Beach.

Wallace Henderson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson of Red Spring road, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Miss Marie Borancho has returned to her home in Boston after spending the summer at the home of her aunt on Red Spring road.

Obituary

ROBERT WALKER DUTTON

Robert Walker Dutton, seven-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dutton, died Brechin terrace.

Funeral services conducted by Rev. Arthur Wheelock were held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Burial was in the family lot in Spring Grove cemetery.

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Something to Think About By F. A. WALKER

WHEN WINDS ARE FAIR

IN THE summer time of life, when the winds are fair, very few of us are disposed to think about anything except pleasure.

It is our turn upon the stage. We are anxious to play our part with magnificent gusto, though we may be as green as a pair of rustic bunnies in the art of dancing the stately minuet.

But the minuet, alas, is too beautiful, airy, dainty and graceful for the present summer-time folk.

There is too much exquisite charm in its movements and not enough noise. Yet so it is.

If we would acknowledge it, we might without the slightest blush admit that this is the age of jazz and brass, and the two according to our way of thinking, jangle ravishingly together, especially when we furnish the brass, of which we have large varieties.

In spite of our supposedly higher education, we are deficient in many of the finer social arts with which our forebears of 20 or 40 years ago were intimately acquainted.

They were more esthetic than we, more particular with whom they formed social alliances; money and brass, even though they might have been well introduced, could not in those days enter the homes of the best people and get a cordial reception.

Pedigree and character took the long count, and around these two essential qualities the clock of propriety had to tick perfectly accurate seconds.

But in these days the winds seem to be fair for everybody, quite regardless of the barometer.

Even young men and young women attractive of face and form, with nothing to substantiate their character but brass and wealth, cannot enter in real society or become intimate with the cultured people.

And if you will stroll through these little towns you will become conscious of a delicious sweetness in the air, which at first cannot be measured or understood.

It permeates the homes, the hills, the prim flower gardens, the shaded porches, and gives to life a nobility that neither wealth nor brass can ever hope to acquire.

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The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way says she weighs 110 pounds in her street clothes and 105 ad valorem.

Mother's Cook Book

War is a terrible menace to the world, but folly, weakness and decay are worse.

WARM WEATHER FOODS

GELATIN desserts, frozen dishes and fruit of all kinds make an especial appeal to the appetite during the hot, sultry days of late summer.

A dessert is not a dish to worry about with ice cream to be bought in all markets and fresh fruits so available.

Meats in large quantity or at every meal are not desired by the average appetite during the warm weather; eggs, fish, fresh vegetables, fruits and plenty of milk will keep the body in good condition—with very little meat.

Fried eggs should never be given to anyone who has not a good digestion. So-called soft-cooked eggs are often boiled. An egg to be perfectly easy of digestion should never be cooked at the boiling point. Simmering temperature cooks eggs well; the yolk will be mealy, the white tender. If four eggs in the shell are to be cooked take a dish holding a little more than four pints; into four pints of boiling water drop the four eggs. Cover closely, set aside and keep covered for 30 minutes. If a well-cooked egg is wanted. If a soft or coddled egg, remove in ten minutes.

It is easy to cook new potatoes in their jackets and we may feel we are justified when we know we are saving valuable minerals which are lost if the potatoes are peeled and boiled.

The following is a good warm-weather dish taking the place of meat:

Rinkumtudy of Cheese.

Peel and chop very fine enough white onions to measure a cupful; they should be chopped as fine as pulp. Cook them in a pan with enough butter to brown a golden color. Add one or one-half pounds of thinly sliced rich American cheese, one teaspoonful of salt, two of dry mustard, two tablespoonfuls of Worcestershire and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cayenne. Have ready one cupful of sifted tomatoes, add gradually while stirring until the cheese is melted. Add quickly two beaten eggs; stir these until barely set and serve on slices of buttered toast arranged on a large platter. Garnish with shredded cabbage or lettuce cut into strips.

Add a little gelatin to ginger ale and mold for dessert. One may make any number of delicious combinations adding bits of orange or other fruits. Serve with cream and sugar.

Nellie Maxwell
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Reflections of a Bachelor Girl

By HELEN ROWLAND

A BRIDE, at her second wedding, does not wear a veil. She wants to SEE what she is getting.

A girl doesn't feel that she "looks right" nowadays, unless her brother, her father, or her husband disapproves of her.

A woman spends most of her life in permitting a man to "forgive" her for her indignation at the outrageous things he does.

It is every man's divine right to think that he is fatally dangerous to women, no matter what his mirror or his sister tells him.

The caveman may be the modern girl's notion of an ideal lover; but give ME the shy man, who leaves something to a woman's imagination. He is always such a sweet surprise!

The only way some married people appear to be able to measure the strength of each other's love is by the amount of nagging it takes to kill it.

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At the Top of Tulip Hill By RUBY DOUGLAS (Copyright.)

VIRGINIA DAY felt the necessity for helping with the earnings of the family income.

"But, my dear," said her mother as they discussed the subject for the nth time, "you help so much at home. Practically all of the housekeeping falls on your shoulders."

Virginia tossed credit aside. "It is nothing. I can continue to help you and still earn a penny to add to the family exchequer."

"If it would make you happier—"

"It isn't that, dear mother. I am happy. But everyone is more nearly satisfied with himself if he is earning his own salt. Isn't it so?"

"It seems to be in this generation," admitted the mother.

"It is so. And when I see women with two or three little children and all their housework to do, pursuing some sort of lucrative work, I am ashamed of my laziness," Virginia had evidently been giving the matter of her own efficiency some serious thought and her mother could not help admiring her lovely daughter.

"Have you decided on anything in particular? What can you do?"

"Sell tulips!" announced Virginia simply.

"But—"

She cut her mother's protest short. "I know I don't own a single bulb nor a square inch of ground, but I have a scheme."

"Seems to me you'll need one, daughter," said the mother.

"You remember the other day when I went with Julia to a tea place out on Long Island? Well, that is where my scheme was born. And yesterday I went out on the train to see if it were a real inspiration that I had had—and it was. We had passed, in driving, the loveliest field of tulips I had ever beheld. Then and there something told me that opportunity was whispering in my ear. I had read somewhere or other that to be efficient in life we must learn to capture these winged moments and make use of them. I recognized this as a golden chance, and I believe it was."

The mother looked at her daughter with widening eyes. Was this her little girl speaking with so much understanding of life?

"It seems that the man who owns the tulip field had started in haphazard fashion a bulb farm, but had not had the proper business methods for getting his goods into the market. I saw at once a whole plan and I outlined it to him. He was delighted, poor soul. He is artistic, but he is not so practical. We decided to put the tulips all in divisions of color for next spring, hundreds of each variety with the beginning that he already has planted so irregularly. My job all winter will be to get orders from hotels and tea rooms in the city for certain color schemes for certain days. For instance, I will sell a big hotel scarlet tulips for Monday and Tuesday, yellow for the following two days, and so forth, and eliminate the profit of the middleman or florist. I, myself, will deliver them in our old station wagon, and when I get too busy we will hire a truck. Do you see? It will be practically no expense to me and we are to divide profits. He is willing—even enthusiastic."

Virginia went on planning and carrying out her scheme and went so far as to suggest to one tea room owner on Fifth avenue that a rainbow afternoon tea feature would be attractive. She planned for them a series of tables decorated entirely in single colors from the tea cloth and china service to the tulips in the center—each one different. Her idea was to have a real rainbow effect as you entered the long room, carried out in colored tables.

"Moth, I am so wrapped up in our scheme and so enthusiastic that I am probably a bore to you at home. Am I not?"

"On the contrary, dear, you are a marvel to me," said her mother.

"Does Mr. Harrison have a family?" asked the mother, quite naturally.

Virginia blushed as her mother had never seen her blush before. And in her confusion she was lovely.

"No—he has never been married. He's a sort of an artist who lives in this little bungalow and had started the tulip farm to keep the pot boiling, so to speak," explained Virginia.

"Oh," said her mother.

Virginia became more and more certain that the moment that she had laid eyes upon the field of tulips had been one of the golden opportunities of her life. The idea was materializing and with it was growing a very wonderful romance.

"You know I just felt that fate was guiding me that day when I came to make the business proposition to you about the tulips," she said one evening when she had been having dinner with her partner.

"And has it been a kind fate?" he asked.

"It has, Frank. You know it has. We shall build the new bungalow at the crest of the hill and its windows shall look out upon the riotous field of color in spring. Other seasons will take care of themselves."

"Might we call it Tulip hill, dear?" he asked.

"We might—it's a pretty name. But we won't tell them what wonders there are at the top of the hill. Only you and I shall know that," said Virginia.

Act According to Orders By H. IRVING KING (Copyright.)

"MY DAUGHTER Lucy has been well brought up," said Mrs. Dalton Mowbray. She always does as Dalton and I tell her to. I can't conceive how some parents let their children flout them the way they do. In the matter of marriage, especially, girls nowadays hardly pay any attention at all to the wishes and commands of their father and mother. Lucy would no more think of marrying without the consent and approval of Dalton and myself than she would of flying."

It was a great pleasure and satisfaction to Mrs. Mowbray to discourse thus on the piazza of the summer hotel to the other matrons there assembled. Some of Mrs. Mowbray's auditors, it is true, smiled aside as they thought of the evident courtship which was going on under Mrs. Mowbray's eyes—the courtship of her daughter Lucy by James Bacon, probably the most ineligible young man from a financial standpoint, of all those stopping at the hotel.

They wondered if Mrs. Mowbray knew of it. As a matter of fact Mrs. Mowbray did know of it, and so did Mr. Mowbray. And they both had sternly and frequently told Lucy that she must have nothing whatever to do with James. Mrs. Mowbray issued orders, which were countersigned by Mr. Mowbray, that Lucy should marry Rex Charlton, who had family position and was supposed to have a large fortune. Any protest which Lucy might make only resulted in new and more emphatic orders.

Lucy and James talked the matter over almost every day, trying to find a solution of the problem before them. For Lucy did not want to break the habit of a lifetime and disobey her parents unless it was absolutely necessary. It was beginning to look, however, as if it would be absolutely necessary. For Rex Charlton was pressing his suit more and more earnestly. When Lucy threw herself upon his generosity, and told him frankly that she loved another, Rex had only replied that she would, in time, learn to love him, for such fervent love as his was bound to meet with a return.

Lucy and James held a long conference. "There seems to be no way out of it," said James, "except for us to go off and get married, and then come back and beg for the parental forgiveness. I am not so very poor—I have some money and a good job. I guess we can get along all right. I would not suggest this eloping sort of marriage if I could think of anything else."

So it was arranged that Lucy and James should meet in town two days later, get a marriage license and be married. Lucy cried a good deal that night and James was rather nervous over the drastic step they were about to take.

To relieve his mind James went off fishing the next morning and was gone all day. Several telegrams of importance reached the hotel for him, but remained unopened in his letter-box until his return, late in the evening. When James had read these telegrams he sat down and thought for awhile, and then looked about to try and find Lucy. But Lucy was nowhere visible. She was at that moment in her mother's room, where her parents had held her for the purpose of giving her new and fresh orders.

Mr. Mowbray, who went to the city every morning, had come home that night in a state of suppressed excitement, and at once had gone into executive session with Mrs. Mowbray.

"Yes," said he, at the end of the session, "his entire fortune! And I looked up Charlton and found his property had been very much exaggerated."

Mrs. Mowbray touched the bell and a bellboy was sent to find Miss Mowbray and summon her at once to the august presence. Lucy came, pale and trembling. Had her plans to elope with James been discovered?

"Daughter," said Mrs. Mowbray, "you have always been a most dutiful and obedient child. Your father and I have never given a command which you have not obeyed. We ordered you to marry Rex Charlton; and no doubt you would have obeyed us. But we have changed our minds. We now order you to marry James Bacon." Lucy gave a little gasp. It was so sudden! But her parents were kind-hearted people, after all.

"Very well, mother," said the little hypocrite, "since you and father order it."

And then she went off to find James—and found him on the piazza.

"Oh, Jimmie," said she after she had told him of the new orders, "what do you suppose made them change their minds all of a sudden?"

"This," replied James—and showed her a telegram from a lawyer saying that an uncle in South America had died and left him something like a million dollars.

"Well, we must act according to orders, Jimmie," said Lucy.

The Three-Mile Limit

The three-mile limit is generally but not universally accepted among the various nations of the earth. Spain claims six miles, Norway four and Sweden four. Both Italy and France have insisted that their neutrality in case of war should be respected within six miles of the coast. The Institute of International Law has voted in favor of the six-mile limit.

Cheaper to Marry a Cook By MARTHA WILLIAMS (Copyright.)

THERE was apology in Benson's closing of the green gate. He went almost slinkingly up the brick walk, hesitated before the side path that ran to the back. But cautious as was his approach he was not surprising those within. Miss Jenny, peering through a crack in the shutters, sniffed scornfully:

"I do wish you'd look at—that! Wonder what he's after now!"

"He won't get it—no matter what it may be," Marianne, her niece, interrupted, sticking out an obstinate chin.

Miss Jenny giggled. "I'm a wonderin' which of us he'll ask first! Wife's what he's really after. Reckon it depends on who sees him first."

"Maybe—then you're elected. I'm going outside—and stay till I hear you setting Ginger-Cake on him," Marianne flung back—to an accompaniment of faint rapping on the screen door. Benson had carefully overlooked the door to the narrow entry, also that to the back piazza, in favor of the rear-most opening. How should he know, poor soul, that Ginger-Cake, the sleepless guardian of the Martins and their belongings, lay just inside, nose between paws, eyes batting sleepily, but for all that, as ready for action as a hornet's nest.

"Lawsy mercy me! If it ain't Jud Benson!" Miss Jenny cried, flinging open the door, unnoting Ginger-Cake's sudden leap to attention. She began to say: "Come right in." But Ginger-Cake had another mind. Out he shot as though from a catapult, flung himself upon Benson, floored him, and held him fast, the while looking over his shoulder at Miss Jenny, as though asking: "Now what shall I do with it?"

When she said, "Let go, you fool dog!" he released his catch and slunk away. Miss Jenny, all concern, helped Benson up and took him solicitously inside.

Benson settled himself firmly, hands on knees, eyes fixed on a knothole in the piazza floor, and buzzed on: "Miss Jenny, you see a despit man. Three months since Sarah passed on—seems like three years, each longer, and blacker, and wusser than the other. Think o' me—all ter my lone in that big house—with nineteen cows in the barn, all to be milked and done for—and nobody but me to keep help up to the mark. Not a decent meal o' vittles, except what I've sneaked off my neighbors—women with white won't come ter cook in a house with jest a man in it—and them that ain't with while makes things a heap wuss. I'm willin' ter pay—the good Lord knows! Why, I'd give anybody as much as twenty dollars a month ter come and do fer me—and look after the milk things, special the separator and strainers."

"H'm! Yes!" Miss Jenny interrupted. "But—where've you been these last few years? How come you don't know what real cooks can ask—and get, with thanks? A hundred a month, if you please—and sometimes twice that. You haven't said so right out flat—but I reckon you're thinkin' it'll be cheaper to marry a cook, nurse and seamstress than to hire one. Maybe you're right—but lemme tell you, if you had spent money on a live Sarah as you did on a dead one—casket with silver trimmin's, satin linin', paid choir, and a town preacher to tell all he didn't know about her—it's my judgment you'd have heap better chances of heaven—and matrimony."

"Sarah—never—complained," Benson all but whimpered.

"No—she wasn't that sort," from Miss Jenny stoutly. "You wouldn't let her keep her sister's orphanage—rather put 'em in the asylum! You ought to feel yourself same as a murderer—"

She had gone too far. The cowering Benson leaped at her, caught her shoulders, and shook her. Rescue came swiftly—in shape of Marianne, Ginger-Cake and a tall young stranger of fine open countenance, but shadowed eyes. Ginger-Cake accounted for Benson. As that person sank heavily into a chair, Marianne said to the stranger:

"There is—the person you came to see," then to Miss Jenny: "I found him on the road—and brought him—just in time, it seems."

Miss Jenny, not quite steady of voice, said slowly: "I see—you are poor Sarah Benson's nephew she wanted to see so bad—"

"I got the letter two days ago—too late," the young fellow answered allowing hard.

Benson suddenly looked up, tried to rise, fell back with a hoarse cry, all one burly side of him stricken helpless.

He lived thus a year—with Sarah's nephew his stay and comfort. His coming was a real providence, said Miss Jenny. All the more heartily when he proved to be Benson's sole heir—and fell handsomely in love with Marianne, who had guided him to fortune and happiness.

In These Days of Unions

Irate Sultor (Just kicked down the stairs)—Just you wait, sir; we'll get even with you for this. I'll report you to the 'sultors' union and have your daughter boycotted. See how you'll like that.

The SANDMAN STORY

MR. DRAKE'S FAMILY

OLD Mr. Drake was thinking very hard, for in his family he had one duckling that had only one duckling. "She gives more time to that one than the others give to their whole brood," said Mr. Drake. "Now, something must be done or she will never lay any more eggs."

"Dickie Duck is such a delicate child," explained Madam Duck when old Mr. Drake told her to let Dickie find his own worms and food. "He has to be looked after very carefully, Mr. Drake. I am sure you can see he is not at all like other ducks—quite different."

"Yes, he is," said Mr. Drake to himself as he walked away, "and if I do not take matters in hand he will never be like other ducks. And that would be a pity, for I think Dickie should make a fine drake some day to take my place."

And then Mr. Drake did some wise thinking, and the next morning he told all of the ducklings that the one who found the biggest worm should lead in the swimming on the pond and, besides, he should have a dish of mush all for himself.

"Of course Dickie Duck cannot be in the contest," said Madam Duck. "He is not strong enough to do hard work."

"You see if I am not," said Dickie, and off he waddled with the other



Your Son is One to Be Proud of, Madam Duck.

ducklings before his mother could stop him.

It was Dickie Duck who won the prize and his mother was so proud that she bragged about it all around the yard. But the next morning she was so worried for fear he had overworked that she made him sit in a nice mud puddle while she hunted for his food.

"What are you doing there?" called out old Mr. Drake when he saw Dickie sitting all comfortable. "Why are you not hunting for worms?"

"I worked so hard yesterday that I am tired," said Dickie Duck.

From under his wing old Mr. Drake took a switch he had cut and said: "If you do not wish to know how this feels across your back and around your legs you begin to waddle, and waddle fast. The next time I see you taking any food that your mother has found I shall let you find out just how a nice willow switch feels as well as looks."

Dickie waddled away, and when his mother returned with a fat worm for her only child wise Mr. Drake said: "You son is one to be proud of, Madam Duck, and he wishes me to tell you he can earn his own living now, and you are not to bother again getting worms or bugs for him."

"He is ashamed of sitting around while you work, for the other ducklings think he just happened to find the biggest worm yesterday, and it was luck, not because he was so smart. And now he wants to show them they are mistaken."

"An I will tell you something, Mr. Drake; the farmer has looked in your nest several times lately, and if you wish to live to see how smart your son really is, my advice to you is to attend to egg-laying and let Dickie show how clever he is."

Madam Duck swallowed the worm she had for her son and looked after Mr. Drake with wide-open eyes. But she waddled off to the duck house and found her nest, for she knew Mr. Drake was a wise old bird and there was truth in what he said.

"I managed that rather cleverly, I think," said Mr. Drake as he waddled toward the pond. "I shall have no more trouble with either of them, I feel sure."

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The Why of Superstitions By H. IRVING KING

BITING INTO SNAKES

INVESTIGATIONS of the American Folklore society show that there is a superstition general throughout the United States that biting into a living snake will insure sound teeth for the one who does the biting. The black snake is generally indicated but in some sections they prefer a rattlesnake. The same superstition prevails in Canada. The pedigree of this superstition is easily traced. It is a survival, almost unaltered from its original form, from the remotest ages. In the folklore, religions, myths, and traditions—what you will—of the ancients the serpent appears prominently. With regard to the superstition under consideration we have to do only with one of the many attributes assigned the snake by men of olden times. He was particularly calculated to transfer his own characteristics to man by the magic of contact. Therefore those who ate a snake acquired many of the snake's accomplishments and powers.

Democritus, writing about 2,300 years ago, mentions the fact that one who ate of a snake could understand the language of birds and Saxo Grammaticus, the Dane, writing as late as the Thirteenth century, mentions the ability to understand the language of animals as one of the many powers obtained by human beings by eating snakes.

This belief lingers today in parts of Germany and Bohemia and down to the Nineteenth century it was a common belief in Scandinavia that wisdom was obtained by eating snakes.

In short from the Red sea to the Arctic the belief in the efficacy of snake eating prevailed in remote antiquity and lingers today in the form of popular superstitions, some of which have found their way to these shores.

Now snakes have remarkably good and effective teeth, and if they are broken off, or fall out, they renew themselves. So, naturally, if you chew a snake along his back—the process recommended by the superstition in question—you obtain, by that branch of sympathetic magic known as the magic of contact, firm and lasting teeth yourself.

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What's in a Name? By MILDRED MARSHALL

GWENDOLEN

GWENDOLEN, which has long been the victim of satire and the supposed product of affectation in this country, has really the noble and most dignified of origins. It is one of the appellatives of the round table, and is indissolubly associated with all that is finest in romantic history. The name comes from the Welsh, and means "fair-browed." All the Gwendolens of history have been radiantly beautiful.

The first famous Gwendolen, according to the "Brut and Geoffrey" of Monmouth, was the daughter of Corineus, duke of Cornwall, and wife of Locrine, son of the original Brutus. He deserted her for the sake of a fair German captive and she made war upon him, in the course of which he was killed, and Estrild and her daughter, Sabrina or Avera, made prisoners; whereupon the vengeful queen caused both to be drowned in the river which was afterward known as the Severn.

There is a Welsh saint named St. Gwendolen, who was the famous "Gwen," mother of Caradog Vreichfras, the excellent Sir Cradocks of King Arthur's round table. There was also Gwendolien, the beauty of Arthur's court, and it was she who is said to have possessed the golden chess board upon which silver men played of their own accord. In Wales the daughter of the last native prince was so called, and for that reason, her name will always continue in popularity there.

Onyx is Gwendolen's talismanic stone. It is said to protect her from evil and disease, and to cool anger if worn about the neck. Thursday is her lucky day and 5 her lucky number.

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WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

William J. McGrath Again Proves Superiority as Tennis Player in Final Round Played Sunday

For the second straight year William J. McGrath retained his title as champion tennis player by defeating Miss Louise Baker in the final round of the fourth annual tennis tournament 6-3, 6-2 and 6-1.

The match was played last Sunday afternoon and the contestants furnished some interesting tennis for a large gallery. The match was much more even than the score would indicate, Miss Baker giving the champion a great battle and her playing called forth frequent applause from the start to the finish.

On Saturday Miss Baker won her semi-final match from Theodore DeCamp. After trailing in the first set 4-6, she rallied and won the second 6-3 and in the third she was behind 1-5, but by excellent playing took the set 7-5. Mr. McGrath met Roy Hall in the semi-finals and defeated him in straight sets 6-3 and 6-2.

The triumph of Mr. McGrath is a popular and well deserved one. He has been one of the most enthusiastic players this season and has played a remarkably good game throughout the season. His victory was hard fought all the way and he was forced by his opponent to be at his best to stay in the lead. His chopping stroke seemed to bother Miss Baker more than a little and caused her to net many balls. Her service was not up to her usual standard and several double faults were marked up against her, despite all she played excellent tennis throughout the match.

The final in the mixed doubles was won by Mrs. Edith Livingstone and Mr. McGrath who defeated Miss Louise Baker and Roy Hall by a score of 1-6, 6-1, and 6-3. The men's doubles have not yet advanced to the final round but it is expected that they will be finished by the end of this week.

Shawsheen Bowling Team Defeated by Boston in a Close Match

The Shawsheen Bowling team was defeated by only three shots on the Village green last Saturday afternoon after one of the closest fights the Hub men ever had. In fact, Shawsheen won on three rinks and tied on a fourth, but for the big defeat sustained by R. Scobbie's rink which lost 13-34. Boston would have been badly defeated. It was Boston's first win on the Shawsheen Green and despite the fact that Sandy Simpson, the veteran Boston team's skip, lost on his rink, he was relieved when he found that Skip Patterson on Rink 1, had a margin enough to offset the losses on the other three rinks.

It was a virtual win for Shawsheen as few clubs are able to win on a majority of rinks from the Franklin Field bowlers. The totals of Boston 100 and Shawsheen 97 shows more in favor of the Village club than defeat by three shots. That a club with less than thirty active players can hold a club with at least ten times that membership is more than a creditable performance. Incidentally it also showed that Shawsheen cannot put more than four rinks in play in any match and expect to beat Boston. Had they stuck to their four rinks, Boston would have been badly defeated in totals on Saturday.

Shawsheen won at Franklin Field from Boston last month by a single shot and the season's matches are a tie:

RINK ONE
BOSTON: E. Owsler, J. Robinson, P. Salmon, A. Paterson, Skip, 34
SHAWSHEEN: J. Lamb, J. New, D. McWhorter, R. Scobbie, Skip, 13

RINK TWO
BOSTON: G. Ford, E. Phelps, F. Smith, H. Clark, Skip, 14
SHAWSHEEN: A. Bertram, J. Robb, G. Fyffe, F. Jamieson, Skip, 21

RINK THREE
BOSTON: W. H. McVicar, J. Harrow, G. Harrow, R. Urquhart, Skip, 11
SHAWSHEEN: G. MacKenzie, G. Addison, D. Little, D. Stewart, Skip, 20

RINK FOUR
BOSTON: J. Brown, Dr. Grover, R. Delano, G. K. Andrews, Skip, 22
SHAWSHEEN: T. Benvie, D. B. Robb, R. Williams, D. Strachan, Skip, 22

RINK FIVE
BOSTON: C. A. Pusley, F. Butcher, F. Edwards, A. Simpson, Skip, 19
SHAWSHEEN: D. W. Clark, J. Soutar, J. Skeat, G. Skeat, Skip, 21
Boston 100—Shawsheen 97.

Are You Getting Your Share of Fresh Air?

Some day the world may be so crowded that air will have to be measured and rationed out to the people. Today air is free. Why not get your share?

Keep the windows wide open at night so that you can breathe fresh air all night. With cooler nights coming, more covers may be added and the windows opened wide to let in the breeze you have been longing for in the summer-time.

Baby and grandfathers need fresh air too. Their windows should be open at night—wide open. They should get out-of-doors in the daytime. Many colds begin in the fall and stick all winter just because people are shut up too much inside. Get out-of-doors as much as possible, and when it isn't possible open the windows wide and let the outdoors in.

Ford Truck Overturns

Louis J. Kibbee of Ballardvale narrowly escaped serious injury if not death, in an auto accident which occurred last night shortly after five o'clock, on the Ballardvale road near the residence of Joseph Stanley.

Kibbee was driving to Andover from Ballardvale at a terrific speed and in taking the corner at this point, skidded into the gutter on the side of the road. The truck plowed its way along for about twenty feet and then turned to the road. The wheels evidently crumpled and the machine turned over on the hard macadam. Kibbee was thrown clear of the wreck and the only injury he received was a cut on his cheek.

The truck was wrecked. Glass, tools and parts of the machine strewn the highway and passers-by stopped and removed the debris to the side of the road. That Kibbee was not seriously injured is considered miraculous.

Woman and Home

"Home," says the Newcastle (Pa.) Courier, "is a place where a woman, in about fifteen seconds can find something for which a man has searched one hour."

PERSONALS

Roy W. Hall of Windsor street is in New York City for a few days.

Mr. Edward Leslie of the Administration Building is in New London, Conn., for a few days.

Mr. Davis and family of Lowell have taken up their residence in the Village at 6 Windsor street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Leroy Amby of Argyle street spent the week-end at Crawford Notch, N. H.

Mrs. F. J. Lawton of the Shawsheen Manor spent the week-end at her home in Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Playdon have returned from a motor trip through Canada and the White mountains.

Richard Pratt has returned to his home on Kenilworth street after spending the summer at South Freeport, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Humphrey of Arundel street have returned to their home after spending their vacation at Weymouth.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ward has returned to her home in New York after visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow of York street.

Miss Dorothy Wanamaker has returned to her duties in the Administration Building after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Walker have returned from their honeymoon and are residing with Mr. Walker's parents on North Main street.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Griffin have returned to their home on Kensington street after spending the summer at Cuttyhunk Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Todd and children have returned to their home on Sutherland street after spending the summer at Rye Beach, N. H.

Walter Buxton of the Shawsheen Garage is motoring with Mrs. Buxton through New York state, Niagara Falls, Canada and the White mountains.

Mrs. James C. Ramsey, Jr. and daughter, Helen, of William street were registered at the Ashworth Hotel, Hampton Beach, N. H., during the past week.

Miss Virginia Remington of Argyle street and Miss Irma Coolidge of Haverhill street have returned to their homes after spending the summer at a girls' camp at Sebek Lake, Me.

Miss Louise Baker who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Baker of York street, has returned to Portland, Maine, where she is a physical director in the public schools.

Norman T. Allen of Union street was best man at the wedding of Miss Theodora Hill of Boston and Herbert W. Hill of Andover, which was held at the summer home of the bride's parents at Wianno last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. E. C. Williams and sons who have been spending the summer at Williamstown, Connecticut, returned to their home on York street. Accompanied by Mr. Williams, they attended the automobile races which were held at Readville last Saturday.

Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

IDLERS' ISLAND

If you are resolved to continue your search for Idlers' Island, contrary to the advice of the experienced, and those disconcerted souls out at the elbow who have spent the best years of their lives in its quest, you may set it down as an unassailable fact that you are doomed to sorrowful disappointment.

The youth who dreams of this mystic place, forgetful of his duties to his parents and his employers, while he is fitting up his phantom ship to sail away in pursuit of perpetual pleasure, is heading straight to a land of sorrow and desolation, which he will find in the meridian of life, when his sky is turning gray and the icy winds of winter nip his shivering body and freeze up his last remaining energy.

There is only one event at this time of his existence which really astonishes and startles him out of his self-imposed impoverishment, and that is, he cannot build himself up again to hopeful manhood.

He is pushed and jostled on the streets and takes it as a matter of no consequence; he is shunned by old friends who pass him with a sneer, but there is not enough fire in his blood to kindle resentment; he is miserable and lonely, but so dull in sensibility that he is unconcerned.

He may sometimes try to brace himself up as a sudden ray of hope momentarily flashes across his darkened mind, but the effort proves too much for him.

The background of his subconscious self is still covered with dream pictures of Idlers' Island, blurred by cobwebs and out of harmony with the colorful scenes around him, and his present physical and mental lassitude.

When he was twenty-five he was lazy, careless, wasteful and imprudent, with friends everywhere delighted to help him spend his inheritance; now that he is five and forty, he is destitute and alone, left to drift seaward with the ebbing tide.

Oh! that he could warn the hot-headed youths of today of their folly. But he cannot. He is despised and shunned; ragged, hungry, gaunt and cold, all because in his earlier days he refused to work, so that he might have time to search for Idlers' Island, where now he is imprisoned for life! (© 1924, McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

OPENING GAME OF SEASON

Shawsheen and Waypoyssett Teams Afford Fans Ninety Minutes of Spectacular Football

The Shawsheen Soccer team made their first appearance in the new National Soccer League last Sunday when they met the Waypoyssett team at Central Falls, R. I., and their first game in fast company resulted in a victory over the strong Waypoyssett eleven by the score of 2-1.

The new National Soccer League will provide for the followers of the game in this vicinity better sport than in previous years as the strongest clubs of the East are represented in the league which should create a wider enthusiasm for the game than past seasons have produced.

By their win over the Waypoyssett team Shawsheen commenced the season as a real contender for the League Championship and the opening home game at Balmoral Field against the team of the Lorraine Mills tomorrow afternoon is certain to attract one of the largest galleries that has ever attended an athletic contest on Balmoral Field.

The game between Shawsheen and Waypoyssett produced ninety minutes of spectacular football. Shawsheen established a two-goal lead by the scoring of Kershaw and McMaisters, but they barely maintained their advantage to the final whistle, Waypoyssett scoring early in the second half and fighting desperately to even the score up to the final minute of play.

The Shawsheen team presented a well balanced aggressive eleven. The new players added since last season have undoubtedly strengthened the team and with the experience that will come from the games as the season advances, the Shawsheen eleven should round out into strong contenders for championship honors.

To Enter Abbot Academy

Two local girls who graduated from the Stowe school last June will enter Abbot Academy on September 17. Miss Dorothy Gerrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Gerrish of 6 William street, and Miss Lois Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hardy of 22 William street, have been notified of their successful passing of the entrance examinations and will enter on their freshman year at the opening of the fall term.

Regrets from the Cow

The Country Fair committee has received most polite and pastoral regrets from the Prize Cow for her inability to be present at the fair next Thursday, as she had seemingly intended.

But the craze to be a beauty-queen seems to have struck even the cows. It seems that Daisy will attend the Topsfield Fair where she has hopes of receiving a blue ribbon.

When the committee was planning the fair, someone said, "And we must have a cow." "Surely at a Country Fair." "And a milk maid." "Certainly—milkmaid, —of course."

And each member visualized the scene—beautiful and pastoral—a creamy cow, and a milkmaid—milkmaid—of course! The cow was easy to get; she had a pedigree—her ancestors came over on the Mayflower, making her eligible for the D. A. R.'s.

But the milkmaid was the rub. The young women said, "We won't have to stand near him, will we? You'd better get an older woman who could manage him." And the older women said, "Oh, you need some young, pretty girl who understands cows."

At last the matter was settled by a milk-maid-boy of fourteen, who at first insisted upon wearing his football trousers as he was trying to "make the team," but later consented to wearing skirts.

But the committee felt uncertain about that boy. Suppose the Prize Cow inherited the disposition of her great-grandmother and attempted to jump over the moon, would that milk-maid-boy soothe her and hold her h-hoo!

No indeed, at the first blast from the band he would be "hoofing" it over the lawn, his skirts rolled up under his arm, in pursuit of the tooting tally-ho!

So when the committee woman heard that Daisy was going to Topsfield, it was sour grapes that made her glad?

Not by any means. For she had been losing all interest in the Farm Bloc, and was sure that all big, innocent looking brown eyes had horns somewhere behind them.

By all means eliminate the cow, all cows—and this particular cow.

Good luck, sister (and good riddance!). Bring back the blue ribbon.

May our loss be your gain.

Doc Crowley's Five Win

The first bowling match of the season was rolled on the K. of C. alleys Wednesday evening with Doc Crowley's five defeating Charlie Warden's bowlers by 16 pins. Doherty was high man with a single of 124 and a total of 315. Clifford was high man for Warden's team with a total of 294.

CROWLEY'S FIVE				
Bowler	1	2	3	Td.
McDonald	82	90	73	245
Levis	64	88	74	226
Crowley	84	94	85	263
Nelligan	87	87	90	264
Doherty	99	124	92	315
Totals	416	483	414	1313

WARDEN'S STARS				
Bowler	1	2	3	Td.
Cussen	84	74	89	247
McBride	74	87	85	246
Kinnear	85	77	87	249
Clifford	98	95	101	294
Warden	84	86	91	261
Totals	425	419	453	1297

To Teach at Hampton Institute

Miss Ruth Hill, daughter of Mrs. Herbert Hill of South Main street, has accepted a position as teacher of English and French at Hampton Institute, Hampton, Virginia. Miss Hill is a graduate of Abbot academy, 1922. She studied at Miss Pierce's Secretarial school and last year was secretary to Dr. Boring of Harvard University.

Real Estate Transfers

The following real estate transactions have been recorded at the registry of deeds: Carl H. Richardson, Tr., to Henry A. Allen. E. W. Blake to Henry A. Allen. Phraphon Ozonian to Almos Asotian. Phraphon Ozonian to Araxe Ozonian. Kate P. Jenkins to Frances M. Brainerd.

New England Week

Walter M. Lamont of Lowell street, Agent of the Wood Worsted Mills, is chairman of the Manufacturers Committee of Lawrence for the observance of New England week which is to be held throughout the New England States during the week of September 15 to 20. Lawrence is playing an active part in this movement, the object of which will be to display the products on which the prosperity of New England depends, to illustrate to New England's own people the beauty and utility of the product of the industries of New England and to demonstrate to the world beyond her borders how vast and various are the activities that have earned for New England her fame. The movement is actively supported by industries, both large and small, by merchants, by farmers, by real-estate agents, by labor unions, by chambers of commerce in all cities, by the press, by banking interests and practically every industry of any kind in New England.

School Opens

A record number of pupils registered at the Richardson school last Monday when school opened for the year. So far the two-session arrangement is working out satisfactorily and this plan will continue until the first of October when the new school will be ready. When the pupils move to the new school the regular schedule will be resumed.

The teaching force for the year is: Genevieve McNally, principal; Anna Harnedy, Sarah Campbell, Ethel Anderson and Jennie Boutwell.

Win "Ad" Prizes

Mrs. Helen S. Christison of Emore street and James R. Way of Stirling street were winners in the Zain Ad-writing contest which is being conducted by the Lawrence Tribune and have been awarded prizes of \$5 each.

"Merton of the Movies"

"Merton of the Movies" will be read by Miss Florence Liss in the Administration Building, Friday evening, September 19, at eight o'clock. Miss Liss, who is a graduate of the Leland Ponders School, is an accomplished reader and the play is one of the best of the recent comedies.

The reading is under the auspices of the dramatic department of the Shawsheen Village Women's Club. Tickets at fifty cents each may be obtained at the Balmoral Spa or from Mrs. J. S. Livingstone, 361 North Main street.

Shameful!

"Birds' nesting strictly prohibited," read the notice which caught little Emily's eye. "What a shame!" she exclaimed indignantly. "Fancy not letting the poor little birds build their nests where they like!"—London Daily Mail.

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